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SCENES IN ST. LOUIS

Confusion Prevails in the Mound City.

OFFERS OF HELP POURING IN

Hundreds of Families Destitute on Both Sides of the River. Number of Dead.

St. Louis, May 29.—Tonight, forty-nine hours after the tornado of Wednesday tore its way through the city, there exists about as much uncertainty as to the actual number of people killed and the amount of property damaged as on the first morning of the disaster. Scores of dead have been identified, but no one is willing to venture a guess as to how many bodies may be in the ruins of the hundreds of buildings as yet unexplored. The total number of dead in St. Louis, identified up to tonight, is 162, and in East St. Louis 127. In St. Louis there are twenty-two bodies still unidentified, and in East St. Louis two. It is believed that the deaths of the injured and the full recovery of the dead, will bring the dead list here well up to 200.

In East St. Louis the city officials declared this evening that they have hope that the death roll on that side of the river will not exceed 150, but the ruins upon which the rescuers have not yet begun to work may swell the total far beyond that figure.

The estimates upon the property loss have grown wilder and further apart. Guesses are made today all the way from $2,000,000 to $50,000,000 for St. Louis, and from $1,500,000 to $20,000,000 for East St. Louis. The most popular estimate is in the neighborhood of $25,000,000 for both cities, including railroad buildings damaged. The building contractors of the city have been overwhelmed with orders for rebuilding, and the work of wiping out the havoc of the storm has begun with much energy.

The Commercial Exchange announces tonight that the auditorium to be used for the Republican national convention has been repaired and now shows not the slightest effect of the storm.

Although thousands of men are at work night and day clearing away the wreckage in the path of the tornado, they have scarcely made a perceptible impression towards restoring the chaotic confusion to anything like order.

The path of the storm is fully a mile and a half wide. It starts away from the suburbs of the city where beautiful homes are located. Taking a zigzag course it extends down through a densely populated tenement house district fully six miles and across the river.

At the extreme limits of the city to the west is a quarter known as Tower Grove Park. It is populated by people of wealth and the houses are palatial with beautiful grounds, etc.

To the southeast of this is another region of wealth. The storm mowed its way through both of them. Magnificent residences in both places were wiped off the face of the earth in some cases, while in others roofs were carried away, trees torn from their roots and all the pictures on the walls destroyed.

Streets in Compton heights are strewn with wrecked homes, roofs of houses, trees and masses of rubbish hurled into the city from the farms and wild timber beyond the city limits. The same is true of other thoroughfares. Not a tree or house in the region was left without damage. From the corner of St. Vincent and Calaves, away to the northeast, was a stretch of devastation and ruin. The Christian church at this corner is an almost unrecognizable pile of brick, mortar and timbers. A little to the south stands the Missouri Pacific railroad hospital. A greater portion of the roof was torn off, and the whole building so badly wrenched that the superintendent, Dr. P. F. Vasterling, says that it will take at least $15,000 to repair the damage. There were nearly 100 people in the hospital, and these were thrown into a state of panic.

The Hodges school, south of the hospital, is wrecked to the second story, while a row of residences across the street were not harmed. The Chouteau school, half a mile north, was so badly damaged that it will have to be rebuilt, while every dwelling intervening was unroofed or demolished.

The Lafayette Park Methodist church, facing the park, is in ruins, as is nearly every beautiful house in the vicinity. At Lafayette and Missouri avenues there is a mass of debris which was formerly the Lafayette-avenue Baptist church.

Nearly every house on the east side of this street for a mile is either blown down or badly injured. Brown's tobacco factory, a six-story structure at Eighteenth street and Chouteau avenue, was almost wholly demolished, and to the north of it is what remains of Evans brothers' tobacco warehouse. A short distance east is the wreckage from a blown-up gas house. A short distance south of Chouteau avenue on Seventeenth street is the ruin of the Fulton grammar school. From here can be seen the remains of the city hospital. This structure has been damaged to the extent of $200,000. The stables of the hospital have been razed to the ground, while the building itself is so badly wrecked as to be almost useless. The patient's have for the most part been removed to the Good Shepherd's hospital. Devastation and ruin is seen on every side from the hospital. Scarcely a house in the radius of half a mile escaped the ravages of the storm.

At Thirteenth street and Soulard is the ruin of St Paul de Vincent church, erected in 1844. For blocks in every direction are ruined buildings.

Looking from this point towards the business center of the city as far as the eye can reach are wrecks of houses. The course of the storm was down a valley where, before the city was laid out, a stream had run. Chouteau avenue lies parallel to this valley and is the main thoroughfare leading to the heart of St. Louis. For a mile to the south and nearly half a mile north of Chouteau avenue was the path of the storm.

Longfellow boulevard, a wide street lined with hundreds of homes, was left with scarcely a house untouched. At Missouri avenue and Russell is the South Side race track. It was swept clean of the buildings that stood upon it. North of here is an immense pile of brick and machinery and street cars. It is what remains of what was Scullin's electric street railway power house. It is estimated that $300,000 will scarcely cover the damage done here. East of this ruin there is scarcely a building left standing.

Lafayette park, one of the most attractive public grounds in the city, has not a single tree standing. It resembles a thicket of underbrush with the trunks of great trees twisted and scattered throughout. The Parochial school adjoining St. Vincent de Paul's church is also seriously damaged. The huge tower of the Saxon Lutheran church was blown off, as was also the towers and roof of St. Peter and St. Paul's church, Soulard street. The Soulard market, covering nearly an entire block, is demolished. The coupola and roof of St. Martin's Evangelical church are gone, and Soulard street, at the corner of Fourth, is completely blocked with what a few days ago were the homes of thousands of working people. It was about this point that the storm turned its way north. It swept everything before it for two or three miles from the river to Fourth street. Among the important structures to fall were the Saxony flour mills, the Southern White Lead works, Plant's mill and elevator and the St. Louis Foundry and Machine Company's works.

The number of families left homeless by the devastation along the path of the storm will reach up into the hundreds. In many instances these people have lost all their earthly possessions. Many will be for days dependent upon charity and their neighbors for shelter.

The destruction, misery and want has touched the hearts of people in all parts of the country, and offers of help and contributions have been pouring in. Up to a late hour to-day $45,000 was the total amount of donations received.

Of all the thrilling experiences narrated that of Miss Clara D—— is given a distinguished position in the list. She was employed as a typewriter in the office of the Dimond Joe line, which has its offices on the wharf boat. When the Pittsburg was swept out by the storm the wharf boat went with it and likewise Miss Clara. In an instant there was a rush and a roar, and the office boat and all were off at once. The wharf boat capsized at Arsenal island, and Miss Clara escaped to a raft, receiving a drenching meantime. From the raft she was assisted by Captain Boland of the Pittsburg to the steamer, which had stranded in the willows. The young woman was returned to the city Thursday only to find her home in ruins.

SITUATION AT EAST ST. LOUIS

At Least 500 Families Without Food—Some Without Clothing.

East St. Louis, May 29.—Two companies of the Illinois state militia from Greenville and Belleville, Ill., in all about 100, patrolled the levee district, East St. Louis, all day. Dead lines were established and no one was allowed to pass without a permit.

"I wired Governor Altgeld yesterday asking him to take this action," said Mayor Bader today. "It was done in order to protect the exposed property, for our force was insufficient to properly guard it. In cases of this kind the criminal element come in very quickly for the purpose of pillage and they frequently resort to incendiarism, and although we have not been troubled yet it was done as a measure of precaution and to prevent a beginning of thievery. I telegraphed to Chief of Police Harrigan in St. Louis to prevent as much as possible the influx of thugs. This he has done, and sent a number of detectives and officers to help me out. He has also stationed men on the other side, and unless a man appears all right he is refused permission to cross. There is nothing, however, in the report that martial law has been declared."

The effect of these stringent measures was soon seen today in the greatly decreased number of people in the devastated district. Over sixty suspects have already been arrested, and were sent out of town or locked up. Several pickpockets and confidence men have also been arrested. In addition to the militia and police force, Chief of Police Ganey swore in fifty deputies who were placed in different parts of the city. The property loss is hard to estimate.

Late figures rather tend to reduce the estimates of the number killed, and the probabilities are that it will not run much over 150. The bodies of Mike Kilday and Will Farrell were recovered from the ruins of the Vandalia general offices last night, and this morning an unidentified body of a middle-aged man was found by workmen while removing the debris from the location of the old Tremont house. One more corpse, that of George Luckey, was found this noon.

One feature of the storm and one of the after effects of which was somewhat feared is the large number of horses killed. On every side could be seen the mangled bodies of the animals. The police department was busy all day removing the carcasses, and none too soon, for the warm weather of the past two days had already started decomposition.

The railroad yards are gradually being cleared of debris, making the moving of trains once more possible, but it will be weeks before anything like order can be restored. At least 400 freight cars were overturned and either wholly or partially demolished, and as many of these were loaded with merchandise the work of clearing the tracks will be necessarily slow.

A ladies' relief corps has been organized, of which Miss Louise Cross of East St. Louis is president and Mrs. Ira Sweet of East St. Louis vice-president.

Committees have been appointed from all churches of the city, and are actively at work soliciting aid and are meeting with good success. The new library building has been made the general relief headquarters. Tickets will be distributed to the needy ones for food and shelter. Mayor Bader estimates that at least 500 families are left entirely destitute. Many have not even sufficient clothing. Among the telegrams of sympathy which have been received by Mayor Bader are the following:

Chicago, May 28, 1896.

The members of the Hamilton club tender their heartfelt sympathy to the people of your stricken city in the awful calamity that has visited them, and we offer every aid and help in this hour of affliction. Let us know what is needed.

F. C. Moulton, President.

A message of the same purport from President Frieberg of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce was received.

LATEST ESTIMATES.

Number of Dead and Injured—Property Loss.

St. Louis, May 29.—The situation in St. Louis tonight as viewed from the *Republic's* standpoint is as follows:

St. Louis—Identified dead 136, unknown dead 13, missing 33, fatally injured 19, seriously injured in hospitals 401, estimated injured outside of hospitals 1000, property loss estimated $20,000,000.

East St. Louis—Identified dead 110, unknown dead 6, dying 3, missing 10, seriously injured in hospitals 200, estimated injured outside of hospitals 2000, property loss estimated $5,000,000.

ONLY A FEW FIGHTS.

Quiet Democratic Primaries in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 29.—The regular Democratic primaries to elect delegates to the state convention were held tonight. There were but few fights and the election was a quiet one.

THE PRESIDENT'S VETO

Does Not Approve of the River and Harbor Bill.

HIS MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

The House Will Act on a Motion to Pass the Bill Over the Veto on Tuesday.

Washington, May 29.—The President sent to congress the following message:

To the House of Representatives:—I return herewith without approval house bill numbered 7977, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the construction, repair and preservation of certain public works and rivers and harbors, and for other purposes."

There are 417 items of appropriation contained in this bill and every part of the country is represented in the distribution of its favor. It directly appropriates or provides for the immediate expenditure of nearly $14,000,000 for river and harbor work. This sum is in addition to the appropriations contained in another bill for similar purposes amounting to a little more than $3,000,000, which have already been favorably considered at the present session of congress. The result is that the contemplated immediate expenditures for the objects mentioned amount to about $17,000,000. Another strong feature of this bill is its authorization of contracts for river and harbor work, amounting to more than $62,000,000. Though payments in these contracts are in most cases so distributed that they are to be met by future appropriations, more than $3,000,000 on their account are included in the direct appropriations above mentioned. Of these nearly $20,000,000 will fall due during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, and an amount somewhat less in the year immediately succeeding.

Few contracts of like character authorized under the previous statutes are still outstanding, and to meet the payments on these more than $4,000,000 must be appropriated immediately in the future. If, therefore, this bill becomes a law, the obligations which will be imposed on the government, together with the appropriation made for the immediate expenditure on account of the rivers and harbors, will amount to about $80,000,000.

Nor is this all. The bill directs numerous surveys and examinations which contemplate new work and further contracts, which propose largely increased expenditures and obligations. There is ground to hope that, in the face of persistent and growing demands, the aggregate appropriations for smaller schemes not covered by contracts will be reduced or even remain stationary. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, such appropriations, together with installments on contracts which will fall due in that year, can hardly be less than $30,000,000, and it may be reasonably apprehended that the prevalent tendency towards increased expenditures of this sort, and the concealment which postponed contracts afford for extravagance, will increase the burdens chargeable to this act in succeeding years.

Economy and the exaction of a clear justification for appropriation of the public money by its servants are not only a virtue but a solemn obligation. To the extent that the appropriations contained in this bill are instigated by private interests and to promote local or individual projects, their allowance cannot fail to stimulate a vicious paternal system and encourage a sentiment among our people already too prevalent, that their attachment to our government may properly rest upon the hope and expectation of especial favors and that the extent to which they are realized may furnish an estimate of the value of governmental care.

I believe that no greater danger confronts us as a nation than the unhappy decadence among our people of genuine and trustworthy love and affection for our government as to the embodiment of the highest and best aspirations of humanity. It is not a giver of gifts, and because its mission is the enforcement of exact justice and equality, and not the allowance of unfair favoritism, I hope I may be permitted to suggest it is time, when the issue of government bonds to maintain the credit and financial standing of the country is subject to criticism, that the contracts provided for in this bill, which would create obligations of the United States to $60,000,000, are no less binding than its bonds for that sum.

In view of the obligations imposed upon me by the constitution, it seems to me quite clear that I only discharge a duty to our people when I interpose my disapproval of the legislation proposed. Many of the objects for which it appropriates public money are not related to the public welfare, and many of them are palpable for the benefit of limited localities or in the aid of individual interests. On the face of the bill it appears that not a few of these alleged improvements have been so planned and prosecuted that after the unwise expenditure of millions of dollars new experiments for their accomplishment have been entered upon, while those entrusted with the management of the public funds in the interest of all the people can hardly justify the questionable expenditures for public works by pleading the opinions of engineers or others as to the practicability of the improvement.

It appears that some of the projects for which appropriations are proposed in this bill have been entered upon without the approval, or against the objections of examining engineers. I learn from official sources that there are appropriations contained in the bill to pay for work which private parties have actually agreed with the government to do in consideration of their occupancy of public property. Whatever was of doubtful propriety may have escaped observation, or may have been tolerated in previous executive approvals of similar bills. I am convinced that the bill now under consideration opens the way to insidious and increased abuses, and it is in itself so extravagant as to be unsuited to these times of depressed business and the resulting disappointment of government revenue. This condition is emphasized by the prospect that the public treasury will be confronted with other appropriations made at the present session of congress amounting to more than $500,000,000. Individual economy and careful expenditure are sterling virtues which lead to thrift and comfort. [Signed] Grover Cleveland.

Durrant Gets Another Stay.

San Francisco, May 29.—Judge Murphy today granted Durrant another stay of proceedings until June 30th.

Blanther Indicted.

San Francisco, May 29.—The grand jury today indicted Joseph E. Blanther for the murder of Mrs. Langfeldt.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS

SENATE.

Washington, May 29.—The senate reached an agreement today to take a final vote on the bill to prohibit the issue of bonds on Tuesday next before adjournment, Mr. Hill reserving the right to move to postpone the vote.

Two bills, repealing the law relating to rebates on alcohol used in the arts, and amending the law concerning the distilling of brandy from fruits, were passed. The latter authorized the exemption of distillers of brandy made from fruits from the provisions relating to the manufacture of spirits except as to the tax thereon.

The senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.

Washington, May 29.—The house spent almost the entire day debating the Johnston-Stokes contested election case from the Second South Carolina district.

The river and harbor bill veto was read and referred without debate to the committee. Mr. Herman stated that action on the motion to pass the bill over the veto would probably be taken on Tuesday. The naval appropriation bill was again sent to conference, the two houses disagreeing on the number of battleships and the senate amendment limiting the cost of armor plate to $350 per ton. After the night session, devoted to pension bills, the house adjourned until Monday.

REPORT CONFIRMED.

Pacific Coast Miners Killed in South Africa.

Prescott, Ariz., May 29.—Private letters received here from South Africa confirm the telegraphic news of the killing of H. N. Palmer and W. H. Johnson, near Buluwayo. They were on their way to the mines thirty miles from Buluwayo when the party was attacked and massacred. Palmer was one of the best known mining and mill men on the coast, and was a warm personal friend of John Hays Hammond.

Factories Closed Down.

Cincinnati, May 29.—The Pittsburg and Indiana manufacturers closed down all the window glass factories in the territories controlled by them to-night. This throws 4000 skilled workmen and about 1500 laborers out of work a month earlier than usual.

SEARCHING FOR DUNHAM

HIS HORSE FOUND NEAR MOUNT HAMILTON.

Funeral Services Over the Remains of the Victims—All Buried in One Grave.

San Jose, May 29.—After a start in the search for Dunham shortly before midnight the sheriff and his deputies returned to Smith Creek for conference. About 6 o'clock they started out in squads again. The bloodhounds could not get the trail. About 10 o'clock this morning they found the horse which Dunham was riding. The animal had been abandoned. This was five miles from Mt. Hamilton. Shortly after the horse was found the officers heard a pistol shot coming from the gulch. They darted ahead as fast as they could, considering the rough ground and brush. The officers expected to find Dunham there somewhere but all their scare was useless. They could not find him or any trace of him, nor could they get the dogs to strike a trail. Some of the officers believed that Dunham had killed himself. Others did not think so.

The funerals of R. P. McGlincy, his wife, Mary McGlincy, Mrs. Dunham and Robert Briscoe were held at Campbells today at one time. Five coffins occupied the little Congregational church—a sad sight. There were hundreds of people who could not gain admission to the church. All five were buried in one grave.

Tonight the sheriff and his forces are in the mountains near Mount Hamilton. They do not think Dunham has escaped from there. It is possible but not probable, they say, that he has secured another horse. Many private citizens here have joined the hunt and some additional deputies were sent out this evening and tonight.

HAWAIIAN CABLE BILL.

House Committee on Commerce Presents a Substitute.

Washington, May 29.—The house committee on commerce today authorized Mr. Bennett of New York to make a favorable report on a substitute for several bills providing for a cable to Japan, Hawaii and China.

Under the terms of the bill the postmaster general in his discretion may contract with the Pacific Cable Company of New York for the construction of a cable between the United States and Hawaii, Japan and China via the midway islands.

The bill grants the right of way over the United States lands, and provides that the line may be controlled by the President in time of war or other extraordinary emergency. A subsidy of $100,000 is granted. If advantage is taken of the measure the line to the Hawaiian islands must be completed by January 1, 1898, and extended to China by the 1st of January, 1899.

Later Bennett presented the bill to the House, accompanied by a report. From this report it appears that the cost of the cable from San Francisco to Japan by the route contemplated, together with a repair ship, is estimated at $7,500,000. The subsidy of $100,000 per annum is to be paid for twenty years, and the company is to admit free of cost for all time the official messages of the government, giving them right of way. The rate for ordinary private dispatches is not to exceed $1.25 per word on messages between the United States and Japan and China, and 35 cents per word between the United States and Honolulu. Press rates are not to exceed one-quarter of these charges. The Pacific Cable Company is organized with a capital of $10,000,000, and proposes to build the cable by sales of stock, and does not propose to issue bonds.

PLEADS FOR PRISONERS

Barney Barnato Interviews Kruger.

SCOTT JACKSON IS SENTENCED

The Southern Pacific Will Reduce Freight Rates on Fruit Shipments.

Pretoria, May 30.—Barney Barnato arrived here last evening and had a long interview with President Kruger, pleading eloquently for clemency for the reform prisoners.

President Kruger listened to Mr. Barnato with attention for an hour and a half and he seemed to be greatly impressed with what he had said, but he indulged in some spirited repartee during the interview. He assured Mr. Barnato that he was still doing his utmost to obtain further mitigation of the sentences of the reformers and that he would pursue the course which he thought righteous until influenced by outside developments. He trusted to the future, he said, to justify his actions.

The executive council are waiting the return of Secretary of State Leyds and Vice President Joubert from Bloemfonstein, Orange Free State, whither they have gone to hear the discussion in the Free State volksraad of plans for closer relations with the Transvaal. When they return a further discussion of the sentences of the reformers will be continued.

JACKSON SENTENCED.

Will be Hanged for the Murder of Pearl Bryan.

Newport, Ky., May 29.—Judge Helm today overruled a motion for a new trial for Scott Jackson, convicted of the murder of Pearl Bryan, and sentenced Jackson to be hanged June 13th.

During the reading by Judge Helm of his decision overruling a motion for a new trial Jackson sat pale and motionless. There was no expression on his features. When the question: "Have you anything to say why sentence should not be passed on you?" he cast an appealing glance at his attorney and said in a voice that all his great nerve was unsufficient to keep firm: "Your honor, I am innocent."

He was remanded after sentence to the room where Walling was awaiting trial.

"Well, Walling," he said "they have done their work. I am to swing on the 13th of June."

A BENEVOLENT TURN.

Freight Rates on Fruits and Vegetables to Be Reduced.

San Francisco, May 29.—The Southern Pacific Company has in preparation a new local tariff on fruits and vegetables which will probably be put into effect on June 15th. It will materially reduce the rates on shipments of fresh fruits and vegetables within the state, and as Assistant General Freight Agent G. W. Lucas explained today, is designed to enable fruit growers away from market to place their products on the market at as favorable price as growers better situated now. It is well known that all the fruit which finds a market in San Francisco now comes from adjacent fruit districts, such as San Leandro, Haywards, San Jose and intermediate points. The more remote districts have heretofore been unable to profit by sending fruit to this market, and it is with the idea of extending the limits of the territory which supplies San Francisco with fresh fruits that the new tariff is being prepared.

House Struck by Lightning.

Santa Rosa, May 29.—A house belonging to Mrs. Parker Maddux, near Fulton, was struck by lightning early this morning. The bolt descended in the center of the house and struck a bedroom in which Mrs. Maddux was sleeping, traveling clear around the bed and badly scorching the walls. Mrs. Maddux was not injured in the least. The house was considerably damaged and a dog standing on the porch was instantly killed. Trees in a number of places near this place were struck by lightning and torn to pieces. In some places the growing crops were badly damaged by hail.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

San Francisco, May 29.—Jobbing prices are as follows:

Apricots — Fancy Moorparks 10c, choice 10c, fancy 9½c, choice 8½c, standard 7c, prime 6c.

Peaches—Fancy 5c, choice 4c, standard 3½c, prime 3c, peeled in boxes 10@12c.

Prunes—Four sizes 4c.

Nectarines—Fancy 5c, standard 4½c, prime 4c.

Raisins—In sacks or 50-pound boxes, 4-crown, loose, 3c; 3-crown 2¼@2½c; 2-crown 1¾@2c, dried grapes 2c.

In 20-pound boxes, 3-crown, London layers, 75@90c; clusters $1.40@1.50, Debosa clusters $2.25, Imperial clusters $2.75.

Wheat—Steady; December, 98⅛c.

Barley—Steady; December, 71⅛c.

Corn—83¾c.

Bran—$16.50.

San Francisco Races.

San Francisco, May 29.—Results at Ingleside today:

One mile—Rey del Bandidos won, Jack Richelieu 2, Morven 3. Time, 1.43.

Nine-sixteenths of a mile—Laura Burt won, Quantrell 2, Lady Hurst 3. Time, .55¾.

Six furlongs—Lucille won, Tennessee Maid 2, Allahabad 3. Time, 1.16½.

Six furlongs—Walter J. won, Gold Bug 2, Tiberius 3. Time, 1.15½.

Four furlongs—Horatio won, Scarborough 2, Bayard 3. Time, .49¼.

Five and a half furlongs—Carnation won, Montgomery 2, Montallado 3. Time, 1.08¾.

First Royal Apricots.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 29.—This morning the Arizona Improvement Company shipped from Glendale the first carload of Royal apricots shipped from any point in the United States this season.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WAIST SILKS! DRESS SILKS!

Our Entire Stock of

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Friday and Saturday, May 29 and 30.

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THE UNIVERSAL PROVIDERS.

WAIST SILKS! DRESS SILKS!

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN ON FRESNO CITY OR country property in sums to suit. Address T. W. PATTERSON, Fresno. m24tf*

TO LOAN—ONE TO FOUR THOUSAND Dollars to loan on first-class real estate. Apply of T. A. BELL, 1930 Mariposa street, room 9. m1tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC

FOR RENT—THREE LARGE SHADY Furnished rooms for housekeeping; also furnished cottage of 4 rooms, and other unfurnished rooms. Apply 1741 N street. m30tf*

FOR RENT—A TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, double walls, six rooms and bath, large cellar, wind mill and tank, plenty water, barn, on Glenn avenue. Apply to F. F. LETCHER, 1824 M street. m30tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED COTTAGE OF SIX rooms, large pantry, and bath with hot and cold water; centrally located in a pleasant neighborhood on N street, 2½ blocks from the courthouse, lawn and flowers. Apply at HABER BROS. m30tf

FOR RENT—SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE. Apply at Arcade hotel. N. TUNZI. m29t3

FOR RENT—HOUSE FURNISHED OR UNfurnished; furniture for sale; no reasonable offer refused. Apply 1750 J street. m26t3

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE, FIVE rooms, 930 O street. m24tf

FOR RENT—NICE FURNISHED HOUSE, cheap. HABER BROS. & CO. m23tf

FOR RENT—OUTSIDE ROOMS AT 1150 J street; very reasonable. m23t6

FOR RENT—BRICK STORE ON J STREET, lately occupied by Gilbert's paint store. Apply H. B. CHOICE. m22tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS; 1358 J street. m22tf

FOR RENT—WELL FURNISHED SUNNY rooms to desirable tenants. 1041½ J street, MRS. L. SMALL. m17tf

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED HOUSE, 6 rooms and bath. Apply to A. WARNEKROS. m2tf

FOR RENT—HOUSE. INQUIRE AT 1459 L street. a13tf

TO LET—FIRST-CLASS ALFALFA PASTURage, fine shade for stock, no barb wire fence. Apply to THOS. ADAMS, on premises East Fresno, or to F. G. BERRY. m15tf

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN light housework. MRS. A. F. TENNEY, corner Tulare and T streets. m28t2

WANTED—A STRONG MIDDLE AGED OR old lady to take care of 4 colored children, all boys, youngest 3 years old, wages $12 a month or will board husband and wife and pay $6 per month. Address box 5, this office. m28

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 1816 I street. m28tf

WANTED—GIRL FOR COUNTRY; GOOD wages. Call in morning, 1342 J. m26tf

WANTED—WOMAN TO COOK IN PRIVATE family, Danish or Swede preferred. Apply 1045 K street. m24t3*

WANTED—A WOMAN TO TAKE CHARGE of 4 children (all boys), good home, steady place, wages $12 per month, or will pay a married woman $6 and board her husband. Address box 1, Republican office. m24t2

WANTED—PROMPT AND FAITHFUL gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house in California. Salary $780, payable $15 weekly and expenses. Situation permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. H. E. HESS, Pres., 356 Dearborn street, Chicago. m20t21

WE MUST HAVE HELP. WE PAY MEN and women $10 to $18 per week for easy home work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERMAN & SEYMOUR, 213 South Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa. a7

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—WHY PAY RENT WHEN YOU may buy a nice home for $200, 3 lots, fenced, 3 room house, pump, shade trees, grape arbor, outbuildings, etc. Call between 6.30 and 8 p.m. at 128 West avenue, Fresno, Cal. m30t3*

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT. APPLY AT 1310 K street. m29t6*

FOR SALE—1 CAMP WAGON AT PEOPLE'S feed yard, F and Mono. m28t10*

FOR SALE—A GOOD DRAY WAGON, nearly new; also one large dray team, with set of good heavy dray harness; also one "Rice" portable steam engine, 30 horse power, in good working order, suitable for running threshing machines and barley crushers; also five mules and ten horses, for sale cheap, horses will weigh about 1200 pounds each. Apply to ROBERT L. HARGROVE, Madera, Cal. m27t10

FOR SALE—CHEAP, AN ENGLISH DOG cart. Apply at A. WEILHEIMER'S, 1142 to 48 north I street, Fresno. m27t6

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MISCELLANEOUS

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ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—SUNDAY, MAY 10th, A BAY colt mare 2 years old, white stripe on the forehead, and one of the hind feet white, had on halter. Please inform 1143 J street, Fresno. m12t6

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—CLEAN, DYE AND REPAIR ALL kinds of ladies and gents clothing, washing and ironing, fancy summer dresses, fine laundry work. MRS. A. AVIANI, 1627 Inyo street between J and K. m30t12

WANTED—TO RENT A 6 OR 8 ROOM HOUSE with modern conveniences and plenty of shade. Apply 1058 J street. m29tf

WANTED—TO HIRE A TEAM OF HORSES with harness and wagon rigged for haying; may be willing to buy same if satisfactory. Address HAYSEED, Republican office. m29t3*

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FOUND

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By order of the Fresno City Livery Co. I will sell at public auction on

Saturday, June 6, 1896,

At 1 o'clock p. m., at their stables in Fresno City, corner of Merced and H streets, the following described property:

30 head of horses, consisting of matched surrey and buggy teams, single drivers and roadsters and two fine saddle horses, 4 surreys, 5 pole buggies, 6 single buggies, 1 three-seated buckboard, 1 wagonette and 1 breaking cart, 14 sets of double harness, 12 sets of single harness, 1 breaking harness, 2 side saddles, 2 English saddles, 1 Hall's safe, wardrobe, heating stove, desk, table, clock, 30 robes, whips, neck yokes, lead bars and many other articles that are always found in a large livery stable.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ida Scott, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Jay Scott, administrator of the estate of Ida Scott, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Jay Scott, at the office of the sheriff of the county of Fresno, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate, in the said county of Fresno, state of California.

JAY SCOTT, Administrator of the estate of Ida Scott, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, May 24th, 1896. m24t30

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THE LATEST VETO.

It is unfortunate that President Cleveland has a legitimate excuse for the veto of the river and harbor appropriation. It is unfortunate for the reason that the appropriation is a wise one and the amount named should be spent in the improvement of the rivers and harbors of the country. It is a fact which no one will dispute that there is a practical and a pressing demand for the appropriations named for this state, and that the development of our commercial business is sadly retarded by the failure of the government to perform its proper functions in caring for and improving the natural streams and harbors of the Pacific Coast.

The justification for the veto is found in the failure of congress to provide the means necessary for raising the revenue required to meet such appropriations. The Cleveland administration so seriously crippled the production of revenues that they are admittedly insufficient to meet the ordinary expenses of government without reference to the large expenditures that should be made for internal improvements. The present congress has been unable to remedy that disastrous condition of affairs up to the present time, and hence the wisdom of looking to future legislation for meeting such appropriations, however desirable, is certainly open to question. It is from this standpoint that justification is found for the President's veto.

Yesterday's dispatches give the following in regard to the President's position on the question:

The President concludes that as the government is being criticized for the issuance of government bonds to maintain the credit and financial standing of the country, the contracts provided for by the bill would create the obligations of the country for $60,000,000, no less binding than bonds for that sum.

Cleveland's reference to public opinion is no less surprising than refreshing. It indicates something akin to a change of heart when the autocrat of the White House refers to public sentiment as a motive for executive action. Heretofore the public utterance of that great man has been heard in disclaiming against the folly of popular prejudice, and in telling "our people" exactly what they need to make them prosperous and happy. It appears to have finally dawned upon him that the views of the people are at least worth mentioning in connection with and as a reason for action.

When Grover shows signs of wobbling on his pedestal, who can doubt that "the sun do move?"

INTERIOR COMBINATION.

The Stockton *Mail* urges that the people of the interior combine against the selfish dominance of San Francisco. The REPUBLICAN believes in such a combination, but with a somewhat different object in view. It would see the people of the interior unite by any and every means possible in order to further the interests of the state and awaken San Francisco from her slumber. As a matter of fact, the thing to be feared of the metropolis is not so much selfish "hogishness" as it is lack of business sagacity. Doubtless its business men are selfish, as are those of any other place, but their selfishness if it were combined with wisdom would not in the least inure to the injury of the state. It is their lack of business sagacity that is to be regretted, and it is that which must in some way be instilled into them or their successors if the state in general ever is to be prosperous.

Human nature is selfish. It is very safe to presume that the business men of San Francisco are no more grasping than those of Chicago, New York or any other city. The difference is simply one of far-seeing wisdom. The merchants of the latter cities have realized that they could know no lasting prosperity which was not founded on the welfare of the commonwealth at large. They have comprehended that their cities are parts of the general system of things, and not merely carbuncles thereon. They have worked for the general prosperity, and they have been rewarded in securing their share of it. New York and Chicago would have been impossible in any unprosperous country.

It may be said that this is a distinction without a difference, but in its results it is not. If the people of the interior combine against San Francisco, hostility will result and the combination will work no benefit. If, on the contrary, they unite to work with San Francisco, to waken that city and give her the hold on life which she has half relinquished, great benefit might result to all concerned. We must recognize facts: San Francisco is afflicted with a surplus of comatose business men. They have stupidly surrendered more than half of their prestige to the north. The city will not resurrect itself, and it behooves the rest of the state to turn in and help dig it out of the mire of sloth and unwisdom in which it has fallen.

It must not for a moment be forgotten that the welfare of the state and its metropolis are inseparably bound together. The interior of the state can no more be prosperous while San Francisco is stricken with stagnation than the city can be prosperous while the interior is held in the hard gripe of hard times. There is no path by which one can walk to success while the other lacks prosperity. It is indeed true that if the state is to be what it should be its salvation must come from the interior, for the metropolis is too stagnant; its Half-Million Clubs flash in the pan and all of its progressive impulses are fitful. But the interior must help the city up; it cannot successfully work against it.

Combine, of course, but let it be to help ourselves and waken San Francisco. Nothing else is feasible.

THE San Francisco *Bulletin* tells of an instance in Jamaica where a tornado drove a mahogany plank through a tree. It need not have gone so far to find an even more striking illustration of the force of these terrible visitors. In the tornado which visited Rochester, Minn., some years ago, and in which more than forty lives were lost, a pine board was driven entirely through an oak tree of six or eight inches in diameter. There is no way of giving any comprehension of the force of these fearful aerial wanderers.

THE Republican newspapers of this state conjecture that there will be a split in the Democratic convention when it meets at Sacramento next month. They have nothing to base this assertion on, as only 100 out of 600 delegates have been chosen.—*Hanford Democrat.*

The REPUBLICAN does not anticipate a split in the Democratic state convention. From present indications it is more probable that the emergency will be met with a compromise and a straddle of the financial issue. It does not seem likely that the party has energy enough to fight the battle to a finish.

This is rapidly becoming a soda water town, judging from the large increase of fountains over last season. A saloon keeper remarked this morning that there were more calls for this beverage than beer. Is the indication healthful or otherwise?—*Bakersfield Californian.*

That depends largely upon the standpoint from which you look at it. If your money is invested in the soda business it is extremely healthful; if you are a purveyor of extra pale and hard drinks it is a certain indication of degeneration and demnition bowwows.

RANDOM REMARKS.

A Santa Cruz priest went gunning for a cat and shot a boy and a girl. The cat came back.

Ex-Champion Pugilist James J. Corbett is about to return to San Francisco for a visit. It is supposed that people will travel many miles in order to see his jaw.

Madame Lillian Nordica, the famous singer, who is 38 years old, has just married a youth of twenty years. It is a good idea. Both her conjugal and maternal instincts will be gratified in such a union. She can readily imagine either that the boy is her husband or her little son.

The people who blame the Methodist general conference for starting a church fire insurance company do wrong. They should remember that insurance against fire has been a prominent feature of that church ever since it was organized. There does not seem to be anything novel or startling in the idea.

THE FILLED-CHEESE BILL.

"There are many great issues before the senators, but they prefer to talk about the filled-cheese bill."—*San Francisco Call.*

Some million freemen workless go;
Some million women sup with woe;
Some million children lack for bread;
Some million eyes their tears have shed;
And yet the men whose duty leads
To meet the great republic's needs
Do chatter, chatter, chatter still,
And bicker o'er a filled-cheese bill.

Oh, petty men of petty ways,
We view your folly with amaze.
Have you no brain to understand
That want stalks down the weary land?
No heart to feel, no soul to know
The sting and pain of others' woe?
That, while the hosts of famine drill,
You chatter o'er a filled-cheese bill.

Kind nature gives us royal wealth;
John Bull absorbs it for his health.
We sup with peace, her mantle don,
But Cleveland's bonds still drizzle on.
He binds the burden we must bear
And e'en our children's children share,
While you in drooling folly still
Do bicker o'er a filled-cheese bill.

From jail to jail an army tramps,
While Shylock faster binds his clamps.
Our palaces of pleasure stand
With hovels hedged on every hand.
How answer ye the nation's needs?
How bind the public heart that bleeds?
List to their answer, ye who will:
"We drivel o'er a filled-cheese bill."

Joaquin Miller, the great poet, in a lecture in San Francisco recently said:

"We are not a very happy people in the United States. People who cover themselves with goatskins and eat brown bread—the wood-carriers—are happier. We are the highest educated people in the world, and we are meanly miserable."

Mr. Miller was right. We are not happy, and we should be. The fault is ours. We are educated, and we are uneducated. We are wise in the lore of books, and we are blind to the lore of nature. The birds in the trees sing, while we pass beneath the trees and sigh. Talk with twenty people of maturer years, and you shall find not more than one or two at the most who would choose to live again. Why? One need not look deeply to discern the answer. The children play their games, and when they are done the children are tired; then they rest, and afterwards life is fresh and beautiful to them. We play in the great game of life, and we, too, become tired, but we do not rest, for in our educated folly we think that we cannot afford to do so. How can we spare the time for rest, we say, when that million dollars—which we do not want, but think that we do—is still distant? How can we spare the time, when fame—which is but to be prated about by "little, chattering daws of men"—is so near at hand? And so, unresting but weary, we toil on, and if we secure our million, we have taken somewhat that we do not need from him who does need, and happiness is infinitely farther away than it was in the days of youth when wealth was not ours. Or if we secure fame we learn that its voice is hollow and meaningless. The love of home and nature and the high consciousness of well doing are exchanged for—nothing. In their daily lives most men emulate the example of him who exchanged his birthright for a mess of pottage. We make our lives artificial, unreal and unhappy, when they might be genuine, near to nature's heart and happy. Most of our "wants" are artificial. As the great poet says, "we are the highest educated people in the world," but we are not wise; "we are meanly miserable," and it is our own strange folly that makes us so. The great game of grab numbers none but victims among its participants.

A.J.W.

RECEIPT FOR MAKING POPULISTS.

From an unidentified exchange.

Take some worn out Democracy
(The Cleveland sort will do;)
Of disappointed office itch stir in an ounce or two;
One drachm of pure calamity,
Some socialistic rot,
With just a dash of anarchy
To keep the mixture hot.
Now add to these ingredients
A tendency to flop,
And you'll have that prince of human freaks—
A roaring, ranting Pop.

DIED.

BAKER—At Riverdale, Fresno county, May 29, 1896, Edward P. Baker, aged 61 years.

Funeral today from his late residence. Interment at Washington colony cemetery, at 11 a.m.

A New Market, Elegantly Furnished, Occupied by G. L. Moore.

G. L. Moore, proprietor of the Layton market, has just removed to one of the finest retail meat markets in the state, located in the Edgerly block, 1840 Tulare street. The market is quite large, accommodating a fine Gurney refrigerator and every equipment necessary to a first-class establishment. *

Darius Myers, the Malaga prophet who foretells the end of the world in the near future, was in this city yesterday.

AMERICAN NERVOUSNESS.

There Is No More of the Disease Here Than Elsewhere.

The belief in the greater nervousness of the American seems very widespread. The late Dr. Beard of New York was one of the first to describe nervous prostration and to give it its medical name of neurasthenia, so that it has often been spoken of as "the American disease." In his work on "American Nervousness" he treats chiefly of the causes of the nervousness and its symptoms, accepting almost as an axiom the statement that Americans are more nervous than any other race and that there is a vastly greater amount of nervous disease in this country than in Europe. He admits, however, that the severer forms of organic nervous disease, such as locomotor ataxia and apoplexy, are probably less frequent, the increase being in the so called functional conditions, neurasthenia, hysteria and the like. It is probable that the majority of educated people not physicians in this country would admit without a murmur that as a people we are peculiarly subject to nervous disease.

Although, as I have said, the statistics are not conclusive, nevertheless such statistics as we have and the conclusions drawn from various general impressions absolutely contradict this belief. It is only since the war of 1812 that the American has acquired his reputation for restless energy. Before that he was denounced as indolent and sluggish. Up to the period of the civil war he was also denounced as physically degenerate, inferior in bulk, strength and endurance to his English cousin. The civil war put an end to such talk. No armies endured more than ours in the field; no people endured more than those who staid behind waiting and helping.

The record of the first Kentucky brigade in the Confederate army, almost continuously in action or on the march for 100 days in 1864; retreating from their homes, with the hope of success steadily fading away; 1,140 strong at the beginning, suffering 1,860 fatal or hospital wounds, with only 50 left unwounded, yet mustering 240 at the end, with less than 10 desertions—such a record has never been surpassed. These men were of the purest American stock.

At about the same time Dr. Brown-Sequard found that the American mammals survived injuries that were inevitably fatal to the European, and our surgeons found a surprising percentage of recovery from severe gunshot wounds, greater probably than had ever been observed in Europe. Dr. B. A. Gould found that the American soldier was physically as well developed as the European, and Dr. H. P. Bowditch found that the American schoolboy was the equal in measurement of the boys of Eton and Rugby. American life insurance underwriters, too, have found that the longevity in this country is as great as it is in Europe, or greater. The rise of the south since the civil war and the prompt recovery of individual communities, such as Chicago, Boston and Portland, after great conflagrations, are further instances of the great recuperative power of our people.

Since the civil war our physical condition has greatly improved. The greater interest in athletics and better cooking have probably had something to do with this improvement. We have held the America's cup for nearly 50 years. In shooting, cricket, rowing and tennis we have not been inferior in international contests. In track athletics Yale has recently shown her superiority to Cambridge, and the New York athletes have not only surpassed their London rivals, but have established new world's records in more than one event. In the famous ride a few years ago between Berlin and Vienna the picked riders and horses of the Austrian and German armies were used up, yet our cavalrymen and express messengers on the plains, with ordinary mounts, have made better records both for time and distance, without the slightest injury to horses or men.—Dr. Philip C. Knapp in Century.

Mrs. Craigie on Americans.

"Even a stranger could not be long in America," said the authoress, "without noting the deep religious feeling which underlies the national life of the country. It is not aggressive. It is not paraded to the view in any obtrusive way. It has no suggestion of hypocrisy. Simply you have a sincere religious sentiment, a Christian attitude, an absolute integrity, as the basis of the community. This does not exist only among what are called the church going classes, but influences the sections also which perhaps are not religious in the strict sense. It has permeated everywhere and is so strong that I believe those who fall below its principles would hardly be tolerated by public opinion. The fact itself is no doubt attributable in the main to Puritan traditions and the large admixture of Roman Catholics—the Irish, for instance—among the population."

"What is the next American characteristic you would select?"

"Perhaps that of honorable ambition—the desire to succeed on individual worth. Self effort, independence of character, the inborn wish to rise, to be better, to live better—all that is what I mean. Americans are rich and when they have made their money proud of it, but they are very far from being mercenary. That, or the degeneration into selfishness, is no part of the American character, which surely is sympathetic and whole hearted if it is anything. Again, I should mention the patriotism of the American people, for it is intense, a dominating note among all classes.—Interview in the London Chronicle.

The Rider the Sufferer.

Walker—Er, when you run into a man, the rider is as likely to get the worst of it as the pedestrian, isn't he?

Wheeler—You bet he is! The last fellow I ran into only lost a front tooth, while I had four spokes broken and my sprocket wrenched all out of true!—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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You can be cured of your ills by a competent physician, a graduate of leading universities of Europe and America, at the Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street. Treatment safe, remedies always reliable and charges very reasonable at the Golden Rule Drug Store. All standard patent medicines, toilet articles, chemicals, etc., are sold cheaper than at any other place in town. *

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SINCERE POPULISTS

Would Do More Good by Working in an Old Party.

From the Eureka Sunday Letter.

Cator, I presume, is now smiling instead of weeping, which has been his habit. The Populist state convention did exactly what I expected it would—but had hoped it would not. It was, according to the news I have, almost completely dominated by Thomas V. Cator, the rankest kind of a political mountebank, and his followers, who must of necessity be of a kindred kind. Little if any good can be expected from the supremacy of a party controlled by men as thoroughly baptized in political corruption and ballot-box trickery as those whom it is wished to displace. Conditions now are peculiarly reminiscent of Æsop's fable of the frogs that prayed the gods to depose their king—the inanimate Log, that did nothing for them—and place in his stead a more active personage and one more to their liking. The prayer was granted, and while the new king was much more alive—very much—but in an opposite direction to that which they hoped, he was soon greatly disliked by his subjects for his activity and his greed, and louder beseechings than before were sent up by the now thoroughly discontented frogs for the reinstatement of their deposed master, who did not seem, by comparison, to be wholly a bad fellow after all. While I have not lost faith in the honesty of the integral rank and file of the People's party—I believe them to be well-meaning and sincere—I have in the component parts which are permitted to lead and harvest the chestnuts. And I honestly think the former would accomplish more good by throwing their activity and influence with one or the other of the old parties. There seems to be here a pronounced case of the tail wagging the dog, and without sufficient consideration for the dog.

The Swimming Baths.

The swimming baths, located on the corner of Mariposa and N streets formerly owned and conducted by Mr. Geo. F. Church, were yesterday sold by him and by the purchasers placed under the efficient management of Mr. L. Popovich. Mr. Popovich is a gentleman with experience in this line of work, being known throughout the state as one of the best of swimmers. The new management contemplates many radical changes and improvements tending to increase the popularity of these baths, and it will be safe to predict success in its venture. While these improvements are being hastened to completion, the baths will be kept open every day and evening, and as soon as finished the public will be treated to a grand opening. *

Notice to Contractors.

By request the bids on the Hermann Granz brick building on Mariposa street will not be opened till 3 p. m. on Saturday, May 30th. EMIL GUENTHER, Architect. *

E. Magee, the well known expert plumber, has taken charge of the plumbing, gas and steam fitting department of Donahoo, Emmons & Co. *

For sale cheap for one week only—a lady's wheel in good order at 1915 Mariposa street. *

Dr. Cockrill, dentist, Fiske block, with Drs. Maupin. *

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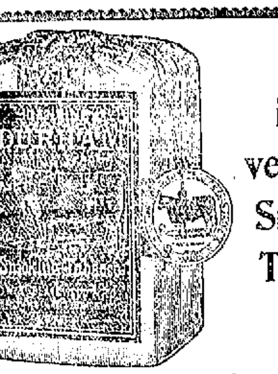

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Resolution Ordering Work No. 116.

RESOLVED, THAT THE PUBLIC INTEREST and convenience require the work herein described, and the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno hereby orders the following street work to be done, according to the specifications therefor adopted, or herein mentioned, or as contained in its resolution of intention No. 144, to-wit:

That a six-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Mono street, opposite the alley in block 119 through the center of the alley in block 119 to a point within ten feet of the north line of said block 119 with a four-inch on six-inch Y for each twenty-five feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the four-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications; the cap of the inspection hole to be even with the grade of the sidewalk.

The last joint but one of the sewer to be a four-inch on six-inch Y, and the four-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four-inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a bonnet cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

The sewer to be laid upon a uniform grade of 5 10 foot to the 100 feet. The pipe to be of the best quality vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe. In refilling, all material used on the street or sidewalk to be carefully puddled and tamped.

All work to be done according to the sewer specifications on file in the office of the city clerk, and to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets.

The clerk of this board is hereby directed to publish this resolution for two days and notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work and referring to the specifications posted or on file, also for two days, both in the Fresno Morning Republican, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, hereby designated for that purpose. Said notice shall require a certified check or bond, either, as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than 10 per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. He is also directed to post said notice with specifications conspicuously for five days on or near the council chamber door.

Adopted by said council May 25th, 1896.

Ayes—Trustees McVey, Chittenden, Austin, Spinney.

Noes—None.

F. M. CHITTENDEN,
President pro tem of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno.

J. W. SHANKLIN, Clerk of the Council. m28

Resolution of Intention No. 151.

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE INTENTION of the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That G street in said city, from the south line of Kern street to the north line of Mono street, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be graded, curbed, culverted, cross-walked, guttered and sidewalked, with gutters on each side of the street, except at crossings; such gutters to be one foot lower than the center of the street, and the street bed to have a uniform curve from gutter to gutter. The sidewalks of said street, between the same limits, also to be graded to the official grade thereof, except where already paved or planked. Vertical curbs to be put in at the outer edge of said walks, except where already paved or planked, consisting of 3x14-inch redwood plank 16 feet long, firmly spiked to 4x6-inch redwood posts 3 1-2 feet long, set in the ground flush with the curbing, 6 1-3 feet center to center, with at least four 60d. nails in each plank at each post. The curbs at the corners of the blocks to be beveled with a plank four feet x 3x14 inches, firmly spiked as above at each end. Street crossings and culverts, according to the plans and specifications for such work on file in the office of the city clerk, to be constructed and put in at the following places, to-wit: One brick and cement culvert to be put in on the east side and one on the west side of G street at its intersection with Inyo street; one crosswalk to be constructed at the south side of Kern street, and one at the north side of Mono street.

The Fresno Morning Republican is hereby designated as the daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, in which this resolution of intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein.

The clerk of this board is hereby directed to publish therein and post this resolution for two days conspicuously on or near the chamber door of said City Hall.

Adopted May 25th, 1896, by the following vote:

Ayes—Trustees McVey, Austin, Spinney, Chittenden.

Noes—None.

J. W. SHANKLIN,
m28 Clerk of said Council.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at the office of Harris & Hubbard, First National Bank building, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, said office being the place of business for said estate.

Dated May 12th, 1896.

THOMAS L. HEATON,
Executor of the last will and testament of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased.

Harris & Hubbard, attorneys for executor. m13

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of A. G. Leverone, an insolvent debtor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL THE creditors who have proved their claims against the above named insolvent to appear before the said court, at the court room of department No. 3 thereof, on the 2nd day of June, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., and show cause if any they have why the said A. G. Leverone, insolvent, should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Dated May 1st, 1896.

m2 T. G. HART, Clerk.

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Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, a corporation, plaintiff vs. W. S. Sanders, Caroline Sanders, his wife, Joseph Brownstone, Charles Weston and the Brownstone Company, a corporation, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 25th day of May, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 13th day of May, 1896, in favor of said The California Savings and Loan Society, a corporation, plaintiff and against W. S. Sanders, Caroline Sanders, his wife, Joseph Brownstone, Charles Weston and the Brownstone Company, a corporation, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 9, of the said Superior court, on page 50 et seq., for the sum of four thousand twenty-four and 65-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 20th day of June, 1896, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in said county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

The east half of the southwest quarter of section five, township fifteen south, of range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated Fresno, May 25th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.

J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff. m27

Resolution of Intention No. 150.

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE INTENTION of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That a six-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Mono street, opposite the alley in block 57, through the center of the alley in blocks 57 and 56, to a point within ten feet of the south line of said block 56, with a four-inch on six-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the four-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed four feet north of the south line of block 57 and one at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with cast-iron covers, as provided for in the specifications; the caps of the inspection holes to be even with the grade of the sidewalk.

The last joint but one of the sewer to be a four-inch on six-inch Y, and the four-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a bonnet cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

The sewer to be laid upon a uniform grade of 8-10 foot to the 100 feet. The pipe to be of the best quality vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe. In refilling, all material used on the street or sidewalk to be carefully puddled and tamped.

All work to be done according to the sewer specifications on file in the office of the city clerk, and to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets.

The Fresno Morning Republican is hereby designated as the daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, in which this resolution of intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein.

The clerk of this board is hereby directed to publish and post this resolution for two days in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted this 25th day of May, 1896, by the following vote:

Aye—Trustees McVey, Chittenden, Austin, Spinney.

No—None.

F. M. CHITTENDEN,
President pro tem of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno.

Attest: J. W. Shanklin, City Clerk. m28

Assessment Notice.

The Wristen Canal Company; location of principal place of business, Oleander, Fresno county, state of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the board of directors, held on Friday, March 27th, 1896, an assessment of $4 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary, at the office of Harris and Hubbard, over the First National bank, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, May 23d, 1896, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 13th day of June, A.D. 1896, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the board of directors.

[SEAL] M. B. HARRIS,
Secretary of the Wristen Canal Company. a9td

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Peter Michel, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrix and executor of the estate of Peter Michel, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix and executor, at the office of H. H. Welsh, attorney at law, rooms 7 and 8, Farmers' Bank building in the city of Fresno, Fresno county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

ELIZABETH M. MICHEL, Executrix.
CHARLES D. HILLMAN, Executor.

Dated Fresno, Cal., April 29th, 1896. m2

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Delinquent Notice.

The Wristen Canal Company; location of principal place of business, Oleander, Fresno county, state of California.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLlowing described stock, on account of assessment levied on the 27th day of March, 1896, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAMES.	NO. CERT.	NO. SH'ES.	AMT.
W. D. Wristen	35	[illegible]	$2 90
R. H. Stephens	Cert. not issued	[illegible]	2 65
David Ash	Cert. not issued	[illegible]	65
J. F. Kennedy	24	[illegible]	1 00
J. R. Ellis	29	[illegible]	1 35
Edwin Fretwell	44	1½	6 00
Mrs. E. M. Drury	43	[illegible]	50
W. H. Kemp	40	[illegible]	50
Bonner, Riddel and Bonner	45	[illegible]	1 00
A. J. and E. E. Secory	30	[illegible]	1 00
J. A. Walton and Geo. A. Pell	37	[illegible]	50
J. M. Mathews	47	[illegible]	1 00
W. D. Wristen	36	2½	10 00
Harry G. Browne	33	[illegible]	50
J. Wrighteon and W. Harrison	41	[illegible]	50
Thomas Cross	16	[illegible]	65

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 27th day of March, 1896, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary, will be sold at the office of Harris & Hubbard, over the First National Bank, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, on Saturday, the 13th day of June, 1896, at 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

M. B. HARRIS,
Secretary of the Wristen Canal Company, office over First National Bank, in the city of Fresno. m26td

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno.

In the matter of the application of the Society of the Seventh day Adventist Church of Fresno, a religious corporation, to execute and deliver deed of trust of the property of said church.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE HON. E. W. Risley, judge of said Superior court, made this 25th day of May, 1896, notice is hereby given to any and all persons interested in the real property of the above-named religious corporation, and in any matters thereof, to show cause, if any there be, on Monday, the 8th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 9 o'clock a.m., of that day, or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, at the court room of said court, department No. 1 thereof, in the Wiener building, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, why said Society of the Seventh Day Adventist Church of Fresno, a religious corporation, and the trustees thereof, should not be authorized by order of this court to make, execute and deliver to the California Conference Association of the Seventh Day Adventist Church, a promissory note in the sum of $350.00, payable two years after date, bearing interest at the rate of four and one-half per cent per annum, and for the purpose of securing the payment of the same, should not make, execute and deliver a deed of trust, under the corporate seal and in the name of the said Society of the Seventh Day Adventist Church of Fresno, to N. C. McClure and J. A. Burden as trustees of said California Conference Association of the Seventh Day Adventist Church, of all the real property of said religious corporation, situated in the city of Fresno, in the county of Fresno, state of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots thirty (30), thirty-one (31) and thirty-two (32) in block one hundred and thirty-four (134) of the town, now city, of Fresno, as laid down and numbered on the map of said town, now city, on file and of record in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county, California.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Superior court this 25th day of May, 1896.

[SEAL.] T. G. HART, Clerk.
By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk.

Welsh & Rhodes, attorneys for petitioners. m26

Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.

Kings River and Fresno Canal Company, Centerville, Fresno county, California.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the above company will be held in the town of Centerville, county of Fresno, state of California, on the 16th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 12 o'clock m. of that day.

Said meeting is called for the purpose of amending the by-laws of said corporation, and of adopting new and amended by-laws therefor, and for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, or filling any vacancies that may then exist in the Board of Directors of said corporation, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Every stockholder is requested to be present in person or by proxy.

By request of and order of the Board of Directors and the President and Secretary.

W. H. INGELS,
m14 Secretary of said Corporation.

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 2679.

Superior court of the county of Humboldt, state of California.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure.

Robert Gunther, plaintiff vs. Kate Cutten and David Cutten, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale, and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior court of the county of Humboldt, state of California, on the 21st day of April, A.D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Robert Gunther the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Kate Cutten and David Cutten, defendants, on the 20th day of April, A.D. 1896, for the sum of $2529, besides interest and costs, which said judgment was recorded in judgment book, volume 5, page 286 etc., I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section fourteen (14), township fourteen (14) south, range nineteen (19) east, Mount Diablo Meridian, otherwise described as lots seven (7) and eight (8) in southeast quarter of said section, Bank of California tract, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 6th day of June, A.D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale, and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated Fresno, Cal., May 6th, 1896.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
m8 By L. A. SPENCER, Under Sheriff.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of S. N. Straube, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Laura M. Straube, administratrix of the estate of S. N. Straube, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of her attorney, O. Scribner, rooms 20 and 21, third floor, Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building, Fresno city, Fresno county, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Fresno, state of California.

LAURA M. STRAUBE,
Administratrix of the estate of S. N. Straube, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, May 14th, 1896.

O. Scribner, attorney for administratrix. m15

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Odd Fellows

FRESNO LODGE No. 186, I.O.O.F., meets Monday evening at 7.30 in Masonic Temple. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend.

T. J. KELLY, N. G.
E. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

Masonic Meetings

MASONIC TEMPLE, CORNER TULARE AND I STREETS

FRESNO LODGE, NO. 247, F. & A. M. Stated meetings on Friday on or before the full of the moon.

C. W. BARNETT, W. M.
T. H. WARRINGTON, Secretary.

O. E. S., RAISINA CHAPTER NO. 43, MEETS first and third Thursdays of each month at 7.30 o'clock in Masonic Temple.

MRS. GOLDIE LEVY, Worthy Matron.
MRS. ELIZA F. GRIMES SECY.

Knights of Pythias.

FRESNO LODGE, NO. 178, K.P., MEETS Friday evening of each week at Castle hall, Spinney building, I street.

N. P. JUSTY, C.C.
O. P. TULLER, K. R. S. | Box 301.
JOHN BORELLO, M. F.

FRESNO REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE NO 158, I.O.O.F., meets the first and third Saturday evenings of each month at 7.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall, Spinney building, opposite Pleasanton hotel. All visiting Rebekahs cordially invited. MRS. ANNIE MAXWELL, N.G. MISS MAUDE YANCEY, Secretary.

Grand Army

ATLANTA POST G.A.R., MEETS THE FIRST and third Thursday of each month at Edgerly hall, corner J and Tulare streets. All members in good standing are invited.

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A. O. U. W.

YOSEMITE LODGE No. 171, A. O. U. W.—Meets every Tuesday evening in new Spinney building, corner I and Merced streets. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the order. J. W. SHANKLIN M.W.

J. M. COLLINS Recorder.

Commissioner's Sale.

No. 6964.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

Jeanette E. Merritt, as executrix of the last will and testament of H. P. Merritt, deceased, plaintiff vs. Thomas Law Reed, Alta Irrigation District (a corporation) and the San Joaquin Valley College Association (a corporation) defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court, of said county of Fresno, on the 28th day of May, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 26th day of May, 1896, in favor of Jeanette E. Merritt, as executrix of the last will and testament of H. P. Merritt, deceased, plaintiff, and against Thomas Law Reed, Alta Irrigation District (a corporation) and the San Joaquin Valley College Association (a corporation) defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page 524, for the sum of forty-two thousand fifty-seven and 26-100 ($42,057 26-100) dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday the 24th day of June, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the principal door on the front (west side) of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises in the said order of sale, as follows: Situated in Fresno county and being all of section number twenty three (23) and the east half (E½) of section number twenty-two (22), in township number fifteen (15) south, of range number twenty-three (23) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, May 28th, 1896.

B. F. EARL, Commissioner.

McKenna & George and Horace Hawes, attorneys for plaintiff. m29

Report of the Condition

—OF THE—

FRESNO NATIONAL BANK

At Fresno, in the state of California, at the close of business May 7th, 1896:
Charter number 3570.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 333,354 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		106 51
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		5,563 58
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		35,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		45,871 05
Due from state banks and bankers		27,476 67
Due from approved reserve agents		5,915 11
Checks and other cash items		4,091 23
Exchanges for clearing house		658 81
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		39 05
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$64,660 00	
Legal tender notes	120 00	64,780 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,250 00
Total		$ 575,338 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	8,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,575 71
National bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	125,240 77
Demand certificates of deposit	179,919 41
Total	$ 575,338 89

State of California, County of Fresno, ss.

I, C. Allison Telfer, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. ALLISON TELFER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1896.

[SEAL.] F. E. COOK,
Notary Public in and for the county of Fresno, State of California.

Correct—Attest: F. P. WICKERSHAM, D. A. REED, JOHN McMULLIN, Directors.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Frank Kauke, attorney at law, room 19, 1922 Mariposa street, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated May 18th, 1896.

J. F. MAXWELL,
Administrator of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased.

Frank Kauke, attorney for administrator. m20t30

Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of William N. Peat, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER authority of an order of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, heretofore made and entered, in the matter of the estate of William N. Peat, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of the said decedent, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, and subject to the confirmation of the said Superior court, on or after the 29th day of May, 1896, and within six months hereafter, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said William N. Peat at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest which the said estate has by operation of the law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said William N. Peat at the time of his death, to the real estate located in the county of Fresno, state of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section one (1), township fifteen (15) south, range thirteen (13) east, M.D.B. and M.; the northeast quarter of section twenty-three (23), township fifteen (15) south, range fourteen (14) east, M.D.B. and M.

All bids therefor must be in writing and may be left at the office of Everts & Ewing, First National Bank building, Fresno, California, or delivered to the said administrator personally, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the said 29th day of May, 1896.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, gold coin of the United States, 10 per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale, balance on confirmation of the said sale by the said Superior court.

L. H. CHURCH,
Administrator of the estate of William N. Peat, deceased.

Everts & Ewing, attorneys for administrator. m14

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 18th day of May, 1896, adopted a resolution (No. 148) of its intention to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

That a 6-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Tulare street, opposite the alley in block 39 through the center of the alley in block 39 to a point within 10 feet of the north line of said block 39, with a 4-inch on 6-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the 4-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications.

For further particulars of said work reference is hereby made to said resolution on file.

Fresno, Cal., May 21st, 1896.

m22 M. BILBY,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Fresno.

REMOVAL NOTICE

Colonel J. G. Anderson has removed his

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Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:

Commencing April 22, 1896.

12:52 A.M.—NEW ORLEANS EXPRESS—Daily for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside, and east via El Paso and New Orleans.

2:50 A.M.—EXPRESS—Daily. For Collis, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

4:50 A.M.—EXPRESS (via Martinez)—Daily. For Bernuda (Raymond for Yosemite) Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

6:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. For Porterville and way stations. Porterville to Fresno on Wednesday only.

6:35 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily. For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.

9:00 A.M.—SAN FRANCISCO EXPRESS—Daily via Merced and Lathrop; connects at Berenda for Raymond (Yosemite), at Lathrop for Stockton, Sacramento and the East via Ogden and Portland.

9:00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday, For Lathrop and all way stations.

9:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 1.10 p.m.

5:30 P.M.—PASSENGER TRAIN—Daily. For Bangor Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.

5:50 P.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—Daily. For Los Angeles and intermediate points.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.

T. H. GOODMAN Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, May 29.—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Barometer	29.89
Temperature	76
Bunnbie Temperature	57
Humidity, per cent	51
Wind, W (miles per hour)	8
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	79
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	58
Total Rainfall past 36 hours, inches	01
Total Rainfall for season, inches	8.30

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 5 p.m. May 30.—Northern California—Cloudy weather with showers tonight and early Saturday morning in the northern portion; southerly winds, changing to westerly.

Southern California—Fair Saturday; light westerly winds.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of parties caught stealing or defacing REPUBLICAN boxes which are placed in front of the residences of colony subscribers.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Cooler.

It did not rain.

This is Decoration day.

The cannery will soon open.

Adriance Buckeye the most durable.

Finest currants on earth at Blackler's.

"Thistle" do for me and my family.

Tandem bicycles to rent at R. G. Barton's.

New mowers for $50 at Fresno Agricultural Works.

Currants, cherries and gooseberries at Schuttler & Co.'s.

Don't fail to attend Bonnell's special auction sale today.

Buy your graduation suits at the White Front Stores.

White canvas ties at $1.25 this week. Family Shoe Store, 1026 I street.

The time has not yet come for leaving Fresno in search of a cool climate.

The Democratic county convention will meet in this city next Monday.

Adriance Buckeye Mowers at Baker & Hamilton's, corner of Fresno and I.

Pineapples, blackberries, tomatoes and green peppers at Howland & Faris'.

Fiester—sign painter—removed to Fresno street, opp. Barton opera house.

Naher, the jeweler, has removed to 1921 Mariposa street, between J and K streets.

Judge Carter will call his civil and criminal trial calendar at 10 o'clock Monday.

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Just received—A big shipment of gentlemen's fine tan shoes at the Philadelphia Shoe Store.

For $2.75 you can get both the WEEKLY REPUBLICAN and the *Interior* (Fresno's illustrated monthly) for one year. Send orders to REPUBLICAN office.

Invitations and programs for the Fabian pianoforte recital may be had at Monroe's drug store. The recital will be given on Monday evening at Armory hall.

More than 1800 names have now been entered on the great register, and a little less than ten weeks remain for the other 10,000 names to find their way to the register.

The suit of Jeanette S. Bowdish against the Fresno Loan and Savings Bank was yesterday appealed by the defendant to the superior court from the justice court of the third township.

Attention is particularly called to the change in Pehrea's Pine Ridge stage advertisement, as there were several errors in the former card. The notice as it appears in today's REPUBLICAN is correct.

The "REPUBLICAN March," composed by Benjamin W. Fabian, has been arranged for orchestra by Theo Reitz of this city. It speaks well for Fresno's musical talent that the town is able to provide for itself not only in composition, but in orchestration.

The California Savings and Loan Society yesterday brought suit in the superior court of this county to collect $2500 from W. K. Turlock and others. The note is secured by mortgage on the east half of the southwest quarter of section 31, township 15, range 22.

Swan Fountain Pens

Are the best, at C. H. Riege's.

A Chance for a Live Man

With small capital to make good wages. For particulars see W. N. Rohrer, Fresno National Bank building.

Builders' Hardware a specialty. Donahoo, Emmons & Co.

Sun Umbrellas at Donahoo, E. & Co.'s.

Stearns Bicycle good enough for me.

Columbia Bicycles at D., E. & Co.'s.

Up to date photographs—J. F. Maxwell, 1822 Mariposa.

Get a rig for $1.50 (except Sundays and holidays) for four hours' ride. Telephone 32, Dexter Stables.

Champion Mowers and extras. Donahoo, Emmons & Co., county agents.

Dr. A. G. Deardorff, No. 14 Grant avenue, San Francisco.

For first-class plumbing, tin or iron work go to F. A. Foin & Son's, very reasonable charges. Fresno street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Price started this morning on a trip to Puget Sound. They will go by steamer from San Francisco and visit several places in the north before returning. They will be gone about two weeks.

DANGER!

There is danger in permitting Malaria to continue and develop into typhoid and other fevers. Stop it in time. 3 Day Malaria Cure cures Malaria, Chills and Fever in 3 days. The first dose relieves you. For sale by all druggists, or sent prepaid. Price, 75c.

FRANCIS S. OTT, Druggist, 200 K St., south side 2d and K, Sacramento, Cal.

LETTER FROM ALASKA

Frank Dusy Tells of His Journey.

THE INCIDENTS OF THE TRIP

All Safely Landed and Ready to Strike for the Gold Fields.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—We are now off Cape Flattery, April 22d. After some delay we left San Francisco on the 20th and steamed to sea in as pleasant weather as could be expected at this time of year, all in good spirits and great hopes. Many have succumbed to sea sickness while others have escaped entirely, and among the latter is your humble servant. So far I have not missed a meal. I was stricken with a slight stroke of paralysis a day or two before we started, and for a while it cast a gloom over the expedition; but when I went aboard the steamer the gloom was all dispelled, and I met with such a welcome from all that I almost forgot that I had been ill; and when I go on deck every hands seems willing and ready to assist me. All seem satisfied with their lot and there is no growling. G. Burns and party undertook to make trouble before we left the wharf. Their money was quietly handed back to them and they were sent ashore, and that ended all growling.

Last night the propeller stopped for about an hour to give a chance to repair some of the machinery, and since then we have been speeding on our way towards the land of gold.

This is April 23d. Nothing occurred today worthy of note, except that the engine was stopped twice for repairs on the condenser, and the boys had some fun with the gunnies. They caught four, teased them awhile and let them go.

The weather has been everything that could be expected but is now getting a little rough. We passed a schooner this afternoon. Nearly all the passengers have been sick, a few very badly. Among those is Mrs. Reese, Chester Dusy, and a young Mr. Clark from Oakland and a Mr. Bishop from Fowler. All the rest are getting over it as fast as could be expected. Some of the ladies are at the table every meal, and they seem to stand it as well if not better than the men. The officers and attendants deserve praise for the manner in which they care for the sick.

This is April 24th. The wind increased last night until it got very rough, and upset nearly all that had managed to keep on their feet up to that time. Very few came to the table this morning. By noon the wind changed a little and it is much smoother and the passengers are more cheerful, but the vessel rolls yet. The captain announced at noon that the barometer was rising, which indicates better weather. Much water broke on deck last night and this forenoon. All had to keep below that did not care to get wet.

Fred Otis deserves special mention. He went into the new galley, as he expressed it, as fourth dishwasher, and he has been promoted to first cook in four days. He has a hard berth and has not felt the least inconvenience from sea sickness. There is another man by the name of Spangler with Charley Fowler's party, who is very useful. He is everywhere that there is use for a good man. I am gaining strength very fast, and my doctor tells me that by the time I get to Cook's Inlet I will be a man again.

Another day has passed and this is April 25th. Last night it got so rough that the engine was stopped for several hours. Water came on deck in large quantities and the horses had a hard time. When we were running full speed the water came over the bow in torrents, and a sea came on the stern but did no damage. This morning it is much smoother and very cold. The sick are all better. Some inslet that when they come back they are going to walk to Seattle and come home on the cars, but they will probably change their minds or stay in Alaska.

April 26th. We are off Queen Charlotte's Island, distant about 400 miles. The weather moderated last evening, and this morning the sea was as still as a pond. Nearly every one came on deck and looked better, and we have spent a pleasant sabbath. We are nearly half way to our destination, and speeding along at the rate of about eight miles an hour with a good prospect of reaching the golden land in due time. Mrs. Reese from Fresno, Mr. Bishop from Fowler, and a Mr. Clark from Oakland are still very sick. Several of us have not been at all sick.

April 27th: This has been an eventful day. We have had a succession of snow storms and most of the day our decks have been covered with snow. Early this morning my friend Captain A. J. Cary fell down into the forward cabin, a distance of about seven feet, striking on his head and shoulders. The doctor says there are no bones broken, but he is badly shaken up, but not in any danger. He will be a long time in getting well. I was not allowed to see him on account of the slippery condition of the decks. The doctor did not think it was safe for me to venture out. The wind has been blowing fresh today and it is quite rough. It is difficult to move around even in the cabin. Mrs. R. G. Stitt just got a fall, but says she is not hurt. It is very cold and those that have been in such a hurry to get away begin to think they are going to be soon enough. The wind has been from the northwest and the sail vessels are going to have a slow and long passage.

April 29th: We have had showers and snow storms all day, and at times it has been very cold. At breakfast the captain informed me that the barometer had gone down considerably and the chances were we would have heavy weather soon. The wind continued to increase until night and then remained about the same all night. Many of the passengers did not sleep. Mrs. Reese of Fresno, Mr. Bishop of Fowler and Mr. Clark from Oakland are still very sea sick. Captain A. J. Cary of Ohio who fell in the hold a few days ago is improving and was on deck today, not much the worse for his tumble. We are about 600 miles north of west from Sitka today at noon.

April 30th: We had a rough night and the sea is running mountain high. The wind is still from the northwest and our sails are of no use to us. The sea has just broke a midship and the spray was blown in at the open cabin door on the end of the table. It continues to get rough and the chances are that we will have a bad night.

The passengers amuse themselves in many ways. Some play cards, others try to see who can tell the biggest story about their country. A Fresno man undertook to outdo a man from Arkansaw on the subject of melons. Fresno's representative said that the soil was so fertile in Fresno that the vines grew so fast that the rind of the melon was worn out before it got ripe, and that there was nothing there that would outgrow the melon but the mortgage, and that had got to such dimensions that there was not room for them both, and he was on his way to Alaska, where there was more room. The man from Arkansaw knew but little about mortgages. They were much like an octopus, and had so many horns that he was afraid of them, and when a drove of them came along he always kept on the other side of the ridge; but he had a melon patch on a sidehill that sloped towards the river. When a melon began to form he would make an excavation in the side of the hill to hold it until it ripened. One of these melons got loose, rolled down and struck a barge loaded with oats, and sank it. He was sued for the price of the oats, and the judgment was so large that there was not room enough for both, so he left for a country where melons do not grow so large. It will be May Day tomorrow, and we expect to have a picnic and sight land.

May 1st.—The wind is still dead ahead, and a heavy sea is running. The sick are reported all improving. At times the ship rolls and rocks like a cradle, dipping the rails under every time. The water is rolling across the decks all the time. A little sparrow came aboard two days ago, 300 miles from shore, and has become so accustomed to men that it will eat out of their hands.

We did not have just such a picnic as we hoped to have. The passengers have put in the day talking politics and religion. If there had been any one found to have taken the priest's part it might have been interesting, but as it was the A. P. A.'s and Populists had a walkover. Many funny stories were told, and the day passed pleasantly. Mrs. Reese, Mr. Bishop and Mr. Clark are better, but far from well. Captain Cary is out on deck and able to handle his rations, and by the time he reaches his destination expects to be able to tackle the mines. We are promised a sight of land Sunday. White gulls, sea parrots and other land birds have come out to meet us, which indicates land not far off. Every one seems more cheerful tonight than at any other time since we started, notwithstanding the sea is so rough.

May 2d: Today has been the most pleasant of the trip. The sea has been smooth, calm and beautiful. All the sick have been on deck and all are cheerful. Charlie Norris of Fowler took a tumble down the forward cabin stairs this morning, but was like a cat thrown in the air—lit on his feet and received no damage.

May 3d: Today is like yesterday, more pleasant if possible. We are near Cape Elizabeth, but have not sighted land yet. We expect to be in the inlet tomorrow, after one of the smoothest passages that was ever made through these seas at this time of the year. Religion and politics are the chief topics of discussion, as usual.

May 4th: Late last night we sighted land, and this morning land was in sight on each side, partly hidden by a snow storm. Our captain had done his work well. We were in the center of the entrance to Cook's inlet, a space of about eight miles, and we are now rounding Cape Elizabeth, viewing Alaska with field glasses. The winter snow is gone from a distance of 1000 to 2000 feet above the sea level, and ground covered with a new fall that seems to be fast melting away. We have seen no ice yet, and we hope not to encounter any until we reach our destination, about 200 miles north from here.

We passed slowly up the inlet until we came opposite the Kossoloff river, where we found a bark laying at anchor. We steamed alongside and left some mail which our captain had for the captain of the Prussa. We continued until the tide turned about 10 o'clock, when we anchored and lay by until morning.

May 5th. This morning we steamed up the inlet and opposite Tynoonick, where we found the steamer Beartha landing a cargo of freight and passengers from San Francisco. We did not stop but continued our cruise until we reached Ladd's station, where all of our lady passengers went ashore to see Mrs. White, who had been living there for two years and had not in that time seen a white woman. She was delighted and so were our ladies. We all got aboard and steamed for Turnagain Arm, reached Point Possession about 1 o'clock. The tide turned and we anchored and will remain until tomorrow morning and go in by daylight and expect to reach Six Mile creek tomorrow about noon.

May 6th. This morning we got under way early and steamed over shallow water; stuck fast several times, but finally reached the mouth of Six Mile creek about 1 o'clock and grounded on a sand bar and are high and dry. The boys are out jumping on the sand around the ship. Some have gone ashore and up to town. Some of my acquaintances have been aboard and through them I have learned that my partners had gone up to our claims and one volunteered to go up and inform them that we were here, and we expect to see them here about 7 o'clock in the morning.

We saw some mountain sheep on the mountain sides as we came up the inlet. We are the first successful expedition that has arrived this season. Everybody is delighted with what they have seen so far. The ground is still covered with snow, but it is melting fast. Tomorrow we expect to discharge our cargo and passengers.

May 7th. This morning we attempted to get nearer shore, and stuck on the bank of a channel and came near upsetting. All hands took hold with a will and discharged the deck load to prevent it from slipping off into the stream. About 2 o'clock the tide came in and we floated, and now we are riding safely at anchor in a little cove just off the mouth of the creek, and intend to finish unloading our freight tomorrow.

May 8th. Today we have been busy unloading and got all but the lumber ashore, and we are now making a raft of that, and ..... the tide comes in we will float it ashore and the steamer will return tomorrow. FRANK DUSY.

Six Mile Creek, Alaska, May 8th.

NOTES FROM MADERA.

Trouble Over a Sale of Real Estate.

John Bugg, the supervisor of the fifth district, and Calvin E. Bigelow were down from their home in the hills today attending to business matters in the county seat.

George E. Church, one of the legal lights of Fresno, came up on the northbound train this morning to attend to matters in the superior court.

A. L. Sayre is putting his packing house west of town in condition for the shipping season. He will make a first shipment of eighteen tons of raisins next week.

Charles A. Dworack was arrested this morning on a warrant issued out of Justice McDonald's court on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. The charge was preferred against him by Ernest Blood, whom it seems that Dworack sold a lot of land to in the Dworack addition for the sum of $65. Subsequent to the execution of the deed a tailor from Fresno by the name of Michmalain claimed the lots, and produced a deed from Dworack that had been executed and delivered prior to Blood's deed, and he claimed the improvements that had been put upon the land by Blood. Michmalian had the best title and Blood demanded Dworack to reimburse him for the loss that he had sustained, and upon the refusal of Dworack to comply with the demand the complaint was sworn to by Blood. Dworack was put under $1000 bond and his examination was set for next Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Green received news by telegram last night of the death of her brother, Lee E. Silvey, of Napa. Death was caused by a stroke of paralysis.

Messrs. Underwood and Hinsley represented the thriving town of Raymond on our streets today. FAIRFAX.

Threatened His Wife.

Thomas M. White was yesterday arrested on a warrant issued by Justice Austin on a charge of threatened offense. The complainant is his wife, and as a result of a difficulty between them he threatened to kill her. In default of $500 bail White was sent to the bastile.

S. L. Eversoll of Toll House was among yesterday's visitors in the county seat.

FELL THIRTY FEET.

JAMES WALKER IS TERRIBLY INJURED.

While at Work Cleaning a Chimney He Loses His Balance.

A little after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon James Walker, an itinerant chimney sweeper, fell from the roof of W. W. Eden's residence at K. and Stanislaus streets, sustaining terrible injuries that will probably prove fatal.

Miss Zoe Eden was walking in the yard at the rear of the house when the man fell. She acquitted herself with commendable self-control and humanity under the circumstances, and did her best to relieve the poor fellow until he was removed to the county hospital. The young lady gave a circumstantial account which leaves no doubt of the manner in which the accident occurred. Walker had called with a companion and asked for a job of chimney sweeping, which was given them. He mounted to the gable in the rear and clambered to the top of the brick chimney, while his companion stood in the yard below. After working on the chimney for a few minutes he descended, and while standing on the slope of the gable suddenly lost his balance. He clutched at the chimney top and the bricks gave way, falling with a clattering sound into the yard. Walker rolled about fifteen feet to the eves of the gable, and then fell a clear thirty feet to the hard ground of the back yard. The noise of his fall was distinctly heard a hundred feet away.

Walker never uttered a sound. When picked up he was totally unconscious, and blood flowed from his nose, mouth and ears. Dr. Hare, whose residence is on the opposite side of the street to Mr. Eden's, was almost immediately in attendance, his wife having seen the man fall. The doctor found that Walker's skull was badly fractured over the right temple. There was a compound fracture of both wrists and evidence of internal injuries. Hypodermic injections of brandy caused the sufferer to rally for a few minutes. He stated that he was 45 years old, a native of Virginia, and twenty years resident in this state. He added that he came from Stockton and had a wife there, but he did not wish her to know of the accident.

A coach was furnished by Miss Eden and the poor fellow was removed to the county hospital. Steward Burke stated at 8 p.m. that there was a small chance of the patient pulling through, but it would be several hours before any opinion could be expressed.

PERSONAL.

Jeff Shannon was in town last evening.

J. G. James of San Francisco is in this city.

James Ferguson of Volcano is in town.

Max Pfeizik came up from Fowler yesterday.

M. Thoo Kearney has gone to San Francisco.

H. Henderson of Merced is at the Grand Central.

O. G. Malsbary was in the city yesterday from Liberty.

Justin Carey of Lake yesterday spent a few hours in this city.

George Feaver of Fowler was on the streets of Fresno yesterday.

Mrs. Perry Hart of Pollasky was visiting friends in this city yesterday.

William Hughes and J. G. Roberts came down from Madera last evening.

Justice of the Peace A. Albrecht of Fowler paid the county seat a visit yesterday.

Edward Grove and wife are visiting in the city and are guests at the Grand Central.

Too Much of Pleaston Dare.

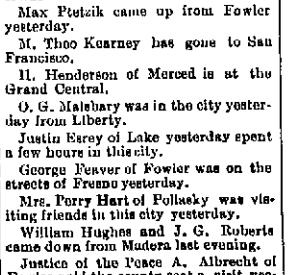
EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I fully agree with the correspondent who in this morning's paper takes exception to the publication of such stuff as has from time to time been printed over the name of one Pleaston Dare. I have been a regular subscriber to the REPUBLICAN for a number of years and I have always taken pride in the liberal course it has taken, but once in awhile a newspaper is imposed upon by individuals who take advantage of the privilege accorded them to vent their spleen or parade their ridiculous views before the people. I claim the honor of being as good an American and perhaps a better Protestant than this Pleaston Dare, but I do not think a fellow man is either a fool or a knave if he does not kneel before the same altar as I do.

I do not wish to be drawn into any religious controversy, but I submit, Mr. Editor, that no good can come from the publication of such trash. Thanking you for the space, I am yours,

PROTESTANT.

A Venerable Veteran.

A Columbia bicycle that has done yeoman service for eight years, and not yet ready to be placed on the superannuated list, was left for repairs yesterday at Donahoo & Emmons'. It is something of a curiosity and attracted considerable attention. It weighs fifty-six pounds, and is geared to about 50. The original tire is still on the front wheel, but the rear wheel is tired with a piece of ordinary garden hose tied on the rim with wire. It is not supposed to hold any air. The bicycle has traveled many thousand miles. It cost when new $150.



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

The Shakers have made a great hit. Their Digestive Cordial is said to be the most successful remedy for stomach troubles ever introduced. It immediately relieves all pain and distress after eating, builds up the feeble system and makes the weak strong.

The fact is, foods properly digested are better than so-called tonics. The Cordial not only contains food already digested, but is a digester of other foods. Food that is not digested does more harm than good. People who use the Cordial insure the digestion of what food they eat and in this way get the benefit of it and grow strong. The little pamphlets which the Shakers have sent druggists for free distribution, contain much interesting information on the subject of dyspepsia.

LAXOL is not a mixture of drugs. It is nothing but Castor Oil made palatable.

Paints, Oil, Glass at D., E. & Co.'s.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by Baker & Colson.

CYCLONE SPECIAL.

Kutner's Silk Deparment Wrecked.

The silk sale inaugurated under the above heading proved a grand success yesterday at Kutner-Goldstein Company's.

A look at the silk counter would remind one of the destruction of the grand stand at the fair grounds in St. Louis; but instead of a scramble for life it was a scramble for silk bargains. The large force of clerks could not wait on half the customers.

This being the last day, we would advise the ladies to call at the popular establishment of the Kutner-Goldstein Company and avail themselves of this stupendous array of bargains in silks.

Imported White Enameled Ware, more durable and neater than agate. Donahoo, Emmons & Co., agents.

New England Market

Is the place to get fine, tender, juicy steaks, chops, roasts, etc.; also ham, bacon, pickled pigs' feet and tripe. Prices the lowest.

Wire Cloth at Donahoo, Emmons & Co.'s.

LEON POPOFF ALIVE.

A Serious Story Started by an Enemy.

Leon Popoff, who it was reported a short time ago had committed suicide over a disappointment in love, is in Fresno circulating among his friends. Popoff says that the story was started by an enemy. The enemy even went so far as to send a letter to Popoff's sister notifying her of her brother's death.

REBEKAH ENTERTAINMENT.

An Excellent Program Rendered at DeWitt Hall.

Fresno Rebekah Lodge gave an entertainment at DeWitt hall last night, and it was one of the most successful given in this city for a long time. The attendance was large. Every one came expecting a treat, and their expectations were fully realized.

The program was one of the finest ever given by local talent in Fresno. Every number was a treat in itself, and the audience showed its appreciation of this fact with vigorous applause. The Misses Vandergrift of Selma had been engaged to participate in the program, but owing to the serious illness of both of them they could not attend. Notwithstanding this the program was all that could be looked for.

It opened with an instrumental solo by Professor Meyer, followed by a song by Mrs. Murray. A baritone solo by Professor A. S. DeYoe was excellent, the Professor being at his best.

The next was a reading by Mrs. H. H. Welsh. She has not appeared in public in Fresno very often, and her rendition last evening was a surprise to many. She handled her selection in a manner that would be creditable on the boards of the Barton. The "Art Poses," by Mrs. A. S. De Yoe and little Miss Celia Mahoney, were highly praised. Their poses, illustrating the emotions, were genuine works of art. The facial expressions and gestures were perfect. It was a perfect study, which was greatly enjoyed by the audience. Fear, hate, jealousy, etc., were clearly delineated.

Professor DeYoe followed with an instrumental solo. By request, Mrs. DeYoe and Miss Mahoney gave recitations, and were greeted by well deserved applause.

This closed the program, after which the floor was cleared for dancing.

The ladies of the lodge have every reason to feel proud of the success they attained. Mrs. Coolidge and others had been untiring in their efforts in the arrangements, and it can justly be said that they gave one of the most enjoyable entertainments ever given in Fresno.

Horticultural Board.

The county horticultural board met yesterday. The "pear blight" was extensively discussed. It has about disappeared with the approach of the summer, but it was unanimously agreed to take steps next spring to prevent it from gaining headway. The board will meet next Monday night.

LIKE NAPOLEON'S

famous conquering of the "impossible" is the successful producing and selling to-day of a high grade white labor Havana cigar at a popular price. Old and experienced cigar manufacturers shook their heads and said it could not be done. Yet it has, and is now being done with the "ROBERT MANTELL," a cigar absolutely natural in flavor. The demand for the "MANTELL" is unprecedented. All dealers acknowledge it the leading brand of the day. 10 cts., 2 for 25 cts., 3 for 25 cts., according to size.

Wholesale Depot: The Wertheimer Co., 13-15 Battery St., San Francisco.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 18th day of May, 1896, adopted a resolution (No. 149) of its intention to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

That a 6-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Sacramento street opposite the alley in block 369, through the center of the alley in block 369, to a point within 10 feet of the south line of said block 369, with a 4-inch on 6-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the 4-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications.

For further particulars of said work reference is hereby made to said resolution on file.

Fresno, Cal., May 21st, 1896.

M. BILBY,

m22td Superintendent of Streets of the city of Fresno.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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Jas. E. Higgins, trustee	8	373	410 30
Robt. Hinsband	9	249	273 90

And in accordance with law, and on order of the Board of Directors, made on the 13th day of April, 1896, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, room 16, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, California, on Monday, the 8th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

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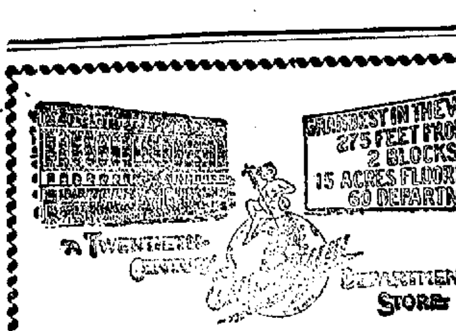

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HEADQUARTERS ATLANTA POST No. 92, DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA, G. A. R., May 28, 1895:—Memorial day, May 30th, the Sabbath of our order is at hand, and it is our sacred duty to render tribute to the memory of our comrades who have laid aside life's burden. It is therefore ordered that Atlanta Post No. 92, G. A. R., assemble at headquarters, Edgerly block, on Saturday, May 30th, at 9.30 a. m., to participate in the ritualistic services of the order. All soldiers, Sons of Veterans, Woman's Relief Corps and citizens generally are cordially invited to attend. Contribution of flowers for decoration purposes from the school children and friends will be thankfully received at Wiener's new building, Tulare street, near I, between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday. L. H. OWEN, Commander.
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How to Treat a Wife.

From Pacific Health Journal.

First, get a wife; second, be patient. You may have great trials and perplexities in your business, but do not, therefore, carry to your home a cloudy or contracted brow. Your wife may have trials, which, though of less magnitude, may be hard for her to bear. A kind word, a tender look, will do wonders in chasing from her brow all clouds of gloom. To this we would add, always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. It is the best, and is sure to be needed sooner or later. Your wife will then know that you really care for her and wish to protect her health. For sale by Smith Bros., cor. Hughes hotel.

THE OLD SHIPE MINE.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO REDISCOVER IT.

Belief That It is Located Far Back in the Sierra Nevadas.

Mark Walser and others from Fresno and Tulare counties are making arrangements to go to the upper waters of Kings river as soon as the snow melts, and search for a mine which tradition says exists somewhere in that wilderness. Whether or not they will succeed in finding it, remains to be seen. The chances are, of course, against finding any old lost mine, as such things are seldom found, although often talked of.

But there is something alluring in tales and legends of this sort which has always attracted men, and perhaps always will do so. It is the old Shipe mine that is searched for. Before Shipe was killed at Visalia, in early days, he had a gold mine somewhere in the mountains from which he procured all the money he needed, and once or twice a year he visited Visalia and thought nothing of spending a thousand dollars in riotious living. Then he would load up his mule with supplies and again disappear in the mountains.

The supposition has been general that he procured his gold from the Sampson Flat placers; and this was the opinion held until recently by Mr. Walser, Judge Carter and others who purchased the Sampson Flat mines a year or so ago, and worked them as well as they could during the dry year just closing.

But recently information has come to light which would seem to indicate that the Sampson Flat region is not far enough back in the mountains. An old Indian living in a remote rancheria in Tulare county has volunteered the information that the Shipe mine is beyond Tehipite valley. He says he saw Shipe working there two or three different years, and that he thinks he can go to the place again, although he has not been there for thirty years, and is now old and feeble. He says once since then he undertook to pilot some men to the mine, and would have done so, but one day he overheard them plotting to murder him when they reached the mine. They spoke in a language which they supposed he could not understand, but he did understand it. That night, after they had fallen asleep, the Indian made his sneak and left them. For years afterwards he kept his peace; but now he says he is willing to show the way to the mine. The locality is so elevated that it is useless to go before the middle of summer.

AN OLD-TIME SOCIAL.

THE PROGRAM ITSELF LOOKED THAT WAY.

Mirth, Music and Misses Reigned at the First Presbyterian Kirk.

The average Presbyterian is popularly supposed to be a sad, hard-visaged individual with a dash of puritanism, Calvanism and the grim stoicism of the covenanter. In the days of old and on another soil such things may have been, but a glimpse at the large audience in the First Presbyterian church last night showed that the social to which the guests were invited was not to be of the dismal sort by any means. If Dominie Sampson had been there to see the white-robed laughing girls and the joyous crowd of swains, too happy even to sigh, he might well have been excused for saying "Prodigious!"

The program was a novelty in its way, as the following fac simile will show:

Ye social will be held in ye
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN KIRKE
In ye year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in ye evening, May ye 29th, by ye old and ye young folke.
Mistress Hollingsworth will play ye big organ.
Mistress Jessie Short will sing ye song.
Maude Phoebe Pierce will speak ye piece.
Jane Diefendorf will sing ye song.
Ye young ladies Applegarth will play on ye fiddle and spinet.
Polly Andrews will speak ye piece.
Mr. Edward Columbus White will sing ye song.
Mistress Francis Jean Forsey will sing "Darby and Jean."
Ye singing class will sing "Oh, who will o'er the downs with me."
Jeanette Elizabeth Richie will sing ye song.
Mr. P. Samuel Vaughn will sing "Ye old folks at Home."
Ye congregation will please help in ye chorus
After which ye young ladies will serve ye folke with coffee 5 cents, ice cream 5 cents, sandwich 5 cents, cake 5 cents.
Ye glass of water will be free.
Ye can come in at ye door of ye kirke for 10 cents.

Everett Seward, son of the Rev. F. D. Seward, pastor of the church, presided. Put in plain, modern prose the program was as follows: Organ solo, march by Mason, Mrs. W. D. Hollingsworth; song, "The Garden of Flowers," Mrs. Jessie Short; recitation, "Hezekiah Bedott," Miss Maude Pierce; song, "When the Swallows Homeward Fly," Miss Jane Diefendorf; duet, violin and piano, the Misses Applegarth; recitation, "Bugle Alarm," Miss Andrews; song, "Friar of Orders Gray," E. O. White; song, "Darby and Joan," Mrs. Forsey; glee, "Oh, Who Will O'er the Downs With Me," by the singing class; song, "We'd Better Bide a Wee," Miss Jeanette Ritchie; song, Mr. Vaughan, "The Old Folks at Home."

The program was a complete success. At the conclusion the guests repaired to the lecture room, where refreshments were served by Misses Georgie Taylor, Lola McCreary, Mae Pierce, Blanche Pierce, Medie Donley, Ruby Olney and others.

HUGH'S HOME COMING

My brother Hugh and I were twins and loved each other with a fervor that grew in intensity as we advanced in years. Perhaps the peculiar affection which is said to exist between twins was strong in us.

Our home, a little cottage of rough hewn stone, was situated in one of the wild but beautiful vales that lie north of Bala.

We played together, Hugh and I, climbed the rocky hills together, boated on the tiny lakelet together and, when we were old enough, tramped over the hills to school together. We were inseparable. The dangers of one were the dangers of the other; his sorrows were mine, and my joys were his. So our lives passed in simple, childlike happiness until we were 18, when a thing happened that strained the strength even of our love to its very uttermost tension.

We would either of us have willingly and cheerfully died for her—the girl we loved. But we would also, if there had been need, as cheerfully and willingly died for each other.

Many times we walked together to her home at Bala and pulled across the lake. Sometimes Hugh rowed, and she and I sat side by side in the stern and steered the little boat. Sometimes the position was reversed, and I pulled while he sat by Jennie's side and held the rudder lines. But it could not go on so always. We knew that she could not make us both happy, though, so far, as we thought it over, she had shown no preference for either, unless, as I sometimes fancied, her eyes rested longer and with different expression on me than on him. Yet it must come to an end, and so one gloriously bright summer day we strolled arm in arm up the mountain side and sat down at the turn of the footpath, from whence we could see the white cottage and the beautiful lake behind it.

It was there she lived, and oh, for long did we gaze lovingly, with full, tremulous hearts, at the dear place. That scene; the lake, its wavelets dancing and sparkling like diamonds in the sunlight, the great mountains which encircled it as with a rampart—nay, rather as a gem is encircled by the metal which protects it—and the cottage, with its clinging ivy and jasmine and scented honeysuckle, the fair roses, which she—fairer even than they—had tended. How it spoke to us that day! Yet it was not of sparkling lake, nor of swelling hills, nor even of the embowered cottage that we thought, but of what we knew was in that cottage—to us the center of the whole scene, the jewel in its casket.

"Jim," at last said my brother, and his voice sounded far away, so faint was it and choked with emotion, "Jim, we cannot always be together. She must choose one of us. Promise me that whichever of us she takes, you or me—and we will take no unfair advantage one over the other—promise me that you will still be friend and brother, and that nothing in the world shall come between us."

I dared not trust myself to speak, but grasped tight the hard, rough hand he held out to me. Then, each with one long look into the other's face, to see perchance the honoring, trustful love mirrored there silently, with a foreboding of a great sorrow, we went down the mountain arm in arm, as we had gone up. And so for the future we never went to see her together, but took our little, simple presents on different days, and never did either return without the other meeting him on the way to see by his face whether it had ended.

But there was nothing unfair, nothing below board. We could always look one another straight in the face, give the honest grip of the hand and walk home together as we had always done. Jennie soon showed that she cared for me most, yet I am sure she shed many tears that she should need to pain him, for I know she was aware that my brother loved her as well and truly as I.

However that be, one bright day, the brightest and most glorious in all that glorious summer, I told her all my thoughts and asked her to be mine—to live with me always. I could not help it. Something within me, of which I had no control, seemed to be speaking from my mouth, as though all my power and will had been taken from me and given to that strange, throbbing soul within.

But, though my heart thrilled with intensest joy when I folded my arms round her, and she lifted up her face in love and trust, and I kissed her, even then I thought of Hugh and felt like a mean coward, a sneaking, underhand supplanter, as though I were taking a cruel advantage over him. So when I went home my joy was tempered with a feeling almost of shame. For the first time in my life I was unwilling to meet him, for the first time unable to look him in the face, and as I saw his figure in the purple distance I felt that I would do anything to avoid the eager scrutiny of his eyes.

It was as I feared, for even as he came toward me with his arm outstretched he saw how it was and stopped, still mechanically holding out his hand to greet me. The while a great sorrow swept over his face, he tried to smile and wish me joy. I took him by the hand and led him into the ash wood where the shadows lay deepest, and with much stammering and hesitation told him all. Never shall I forget the deadly pallor, the look of agony that seemed to have frozen on his handsome sunburned face. I saw the tears fill his eyes and his broad chest heave with his strong, manly emotions and longed to comfort him. At last, in a low, trembling voice, he said, "God bless thee, lad—and Jennie too." And then, with his hands clinched and his head low down, he staggered slowly away. And I sat there feeling that I would rather a thousand times have died than have caused him that cruel pain.

Once only did I see him after that, for when at last I mustered courage to go home they told me how he had gone in and kissed them one by one with tremulous lips, and while they were wondering fearfully why he was so pale had gone out and had not come back. I knew.

Three years passed away—three years of happiness only marred by the memory of that last sad scene. I remembered his agony. Saw, over and over again, his heaving chest. Heard his panting breath and knew that he could not have forgotten Jennie. I knew not then that the truest happiness a man can have comes from the doing of a noble, self sacrificing action, and that, surely, must have been his. We never saw him. Occasionally he wrote to us—never, however, giving any address, and his letters were posted at widely separated places. He was an engine driver, and that was all we knew.

But there was one thing he never omitted in his letters, and that, though we knew it was there before we saw it, always made our eyes fill, "Give my love to Jennie."

We were going to be married early in the spring, and I was looking forward with ardent longing to the consummation of my hopes. Happy times they were, and today was happier than that in the summer, when, the farm work being done, she and I went for a holiday to Chester.

On our journey back a strange, awful thing happened. I was close to Jennie. Her hand was in mine, and we were dreaming of the happy times to come, when suddenly we were aroused by the shrill whistle of the engine, and a few seconds after the carriage began to rock violently from side to side. I cannot say that I was not alarmed, but when Jennie put her arm round me and clung to me for protection, as trustfully as a child to its mother, my courage returned. For I was proud of that implicit trust, so that I forgot my fear in a feeling of sweet responsibility. Almost immediately the train began to slacken down in speed, and at last came to a standstill, and at the same instant we heard a fearful crash. Then all was silent.

I let down the window and looked up the line. Great soft clouds of steam were rolling silently toward us, their under surface glowing a dull red as though dyed with blood. Our train was without engine, and as the steam slowly drifted away and our eyes got accustomed to the gloom we made out about a couple of hundred yards up the line two engines locked together as in a death embrace, while the fragments of the goods train lay scattered around.

We hurried toward the scene of the accident. The heavy goods engine lay on its side, and jammed between it and the rocky bank was the passenger engine. The fire had been shaken out and the dying embers glowed with a dull red light, as they lay spread out on the ground among fragments of wheels and twisted rods. From under the goods engine we dragged one poor fellow with many groans, for his leg was broken, and the escaping steam had scalded him fearfully, and then with half his body crushed hopelessly under a tangled mass of iron and steel we found another with his eyes closed.

Oh, 'twas a horrid sight! It turned me sick, and I tried to prevent Jennie seeing it. But she, eager to be of service, pushed me aside, and gazed at the poor, wounded figure lying there so helplessly and then gave a scream of anguish and clung more closely to me.

"Jim, Jim!" she exclaimed. "Don't you see who it is? It's Hugh!"

And Hugh it was, in his rough engine driver's clothes, with a deadly paleness showing through the soot on his face and great drops of perspiration on his brow. We thought him dead at first, but at Jennie's exclamation he opened his eyes and smiled faintly at us. We were powerless to help him; we could not move that great mass of steel, nor could we draw him away from it, for even as we but touched him with a vague idea of saving him he groaned in agony. And so, though it made us faint with horror, we knelt by his side and watched the tide of life quickly ebbing.

His right hand was crushed under him, but his left was free, and as Jennie tenderly and gently stroked it—all greasy and sooty as it was—his fingers closed over hers and held them. It seemed to give him relief, for a smile, more beautiful than I have ever seen on the face of man, either before or since, lit up his face with a great joy.

"Jim," he panted, and his voice was faint and low, so low that I had to place my ear close to his lips to catch the whispered words, "I cannot last —many minutes—pray God—it may be short. It was—for your—sakes. I saw you—on the train. Kiss me, Jim—kiss me, Jennie—only once—the first—and last—I'm coming home again."

In silence, with eyes brimming over, we kissed the pale lips and, gently wiping the death drops from his forehead, waited for the end. It was not long. We saw the film fast dimming his eyes, the eyelids gently closing. We saw the lines of agony on his face gradually softening, the panting of his heart quieting, and knew that the end was come.

With one sweet smile—in which it seemed to me there was more of heaven than of earth—one last convulsive effort, he placed Jennie's hand in mine and whispered, "Jim, make her happy."

That was all. The poor, bruised body lay still—the spirit had flown. Hugh had "come home" at last.

I know not how long we knelt there reverently, not daring to speak, but with tears streaming down our faces—tears of which I have never been ashamed. But, as I helped Jennie up and was leading her away, still sobbing, some one touched me on the shoulder, and turning round I saw a man whom I recognized instantly as the stoker of our engine. His left arm was hanging loosely and helplessly in a rough sling which some thoughtful passenger had extemporized. He drew his right hand across his eyes, and, looking not at me, but at the dead, said, "You're his brother, sir, aren't you?"

I nodded—I could not speak, for at the moment any words would have choked me.

"Sir," he said, "I know all about you and the young lady. Him"—it did not need anything to tell me that he meant Hugh—"him and me were pals. I went to the shed, sir, just two months after he did, and we've just stuck together like brothers ever since. And, sir, he has told me many a time about you. He was never jealous of you; he always said that you deserved her and would make her happier than ever he could. But I was certain that beneath his kind, quiet manner he must often have been miserable, for I could tell that he never ceased to love her. Do you know, sir, very often when he's fallen asleep off duty I've seen him smile as sweetly as a child and murmur 'Jennie, Jennie.' Don't cry, miss; he's a lot happier now where he is than he ever would have been—

"We've never been on this line before, sir, and shouldn't have been tonight, only just as they were getting the engine ready to bring your train she went off the turnstile somehow or other, and the driver was thrown off and his head hurt. Of course you wouldn't hear of it, sir, there's many a hundred accidents that people never hear of, because a railway man's life isn't of much account, and if one's killed they can easily get another. At any rate, that's why we were told to take the excursion back.

"We didn't like it. It's very awkward, you see, sir, when you are on a strange line, because you don't know exactly when to look for the signals, nor where the curves and inclines come. However, it had to be done, and so we backed down in good time and waited for the signal. Just about two minutes before we were due to start, you went up the platform, and I saw you and the young lady get into one of the carriages. I didn't know how it was, but somehow your faces seemed strangely familiar, and I was wondering who you were, when suddenly he saw you and gave a great start, and the blood rushed into his face. Then he looked at me with such an appealing, miserable look that I felt quite scared.

"'Bill,' he said in a hoarse whisper, 'it's them.' I knew in a minute who you were then, but I didn't like that look. It was just as though he was going mad. However, there wasn't much time to think of it, for just then the signal was given and we were off. We went splendidly and rattled past the station in fine style, until, just as we got on the single line, we saw the goods train slipping along toward us at a fearful rate down the incline and knew that in two minutes at most there'd be a smash. She was a long way off, but, then, you see, a goods train has no brakes, and we hadn't any worth speaking of.

"It's awful, sir, when a thing comes to you like that, just when you are least expecting it. You feel choked like—as though you must do something and don't know what it is. Hugh turned off steam and whistled, while I screwed down the brake until I heard the wheels grinding on the rails, but we both knew that we could never stop in time, or, if we could, the goods train would be smashing into us before we could reverse.

"Suddenly Hugh sprang on the tender, yelling out like mad, 'Bill, she's in, she's in!'

"I didn't know what he meant, but I saw him fling himself over the back of the tender, in front of the carriages, and a few seconds after I heard the clank of iron and knew he had unlinked the couplings. How he did it, sir, I don't know. He must have laid himself over the buffers somehow and leaned over, lifting the heavy links.

"In ten seconds he was back, shouting madly, 'Off with the brake, man; off with the brake.' I began to understand what he wanted to do, and unscrewed the brake, and then, under a full head of steam, the engine left the carriages behind. 'Bill,' he shouted, 'jump off, jump off!' Of course I wouldn't, and said so. He didn't stop to argue, but turned to attend to the lever, pushing it as far open as it would go, still shouting, 'Jump off, jump off!'

"I thought of my little ones at home, sir, and all in a twinkling, like a flash of lightning, I saw them fatherless and my wife weeping bitterly for me and for an instant I thought of jumping off. But it was only for an instant, for even as the thought came something told me my duty was to stop. And there I stopped, and now I'm glad I did.

"'Bill,' he cried, turning to me with a wild light of triumph in his eyes, 'Bill, we shall save the passengers and —Jennie and Jim. Don't you see, lad, how it will be? We shall stop the goods train by throwing it off the line, and the carriages are nearly stopped now—look!' I glanced behind. The train of carriages was 100 yards away and slowing down rapidly. The passengers were saved.

"In silence, save for the panting of the engine, we gripped each other's hand and waited. Oh, that waiting! I felt—nay, heard—my heart thumping like the engine itself. I tried to pray, but my brain was in a whirl. I longed for the tension to cease, for the end to come. Just then the goods train appeared round the curve. They hadn't seen us, for steam was on, but instantly we heard the sharp whistle and knew they were doing their best to stop. I saw Hugh glance quickly from the goods train to the carriages, and his eyes lit up once more with a great, triumphant joy, as he gazed up to the sky. Then, before I could say a word, or lift a finger, he seized hold of me, and crying, 'It's your only chance, lad!' lifted me clean off the engine and swung me on to the bank. I remember falling and hearing a dull crash and a fearful scream, and then all was silent.

"That is all, sir," he continued, turning from me to the crushed figure under the engine. "He gave his life for you."

Then, kneeling down, he took Hugh's cold hand into his own and said:

"God bless thee, Hugh, my best and only friend. Goodby!" and walked slowly away.—Strand Magazine.

Shiahs and Sunnis.

Mohammedans divide themselves into two principal sects—Shiah and Sunni—the Persians representing the bulk of the former, the Turks of the latter. The chief points on which they differ are the condition of the soul after death and the succession of caliphs. "The Sunni belief is that there is one immortal God, whose works are without beginning or end, and that he will be visible to the souls of the blessed, while the Shiahs deny the immortality of the soul and maintain that the coexistent principles of Zoroaster will forever contend for the mastery." With regard to the prophet's successors, the Sunnis claim that the lawful successor of Mohammed was Abu Bekr, and after him Omar, Osman and Ali, nephew and son-in-law of Mohammed. The Shiahs, however, reject the first three and hold that Ali was the only legitimate successor.

Shiahs pray but three times a day, and enjoin pilgrimages to Nejef, Kerbela, Kazimain, Meshed (Persia), Samara and Kum, as well as to Mecca and Medina. Sunnis make pilgrimages only to the two latter cities, and pray five times a day. From this it can be readily understood that the circumstances of the Turks being in possession of the shrines of Nejef (Meshed Ali), Kazimain and Kerbela is most displeasing to devout Shiahs.—Blackwood's Magazine.

How to Punish a Jilt.

"Do you remember," said Mr. Cawker to his wife, "that when the lovely Miss Beeson jilted young Mr. Spudds five years ago to marry Mr. Dillingham the rejected one swore a mighty vow to be revenged on his successful rival?"

"Yes," replied Mrs. Cawker, "I remember it well; but such threats never amount to anything."

"In this case they did. Spudds has filled fat the ancient grudge he bears Dillingham."

"He hasn't killed him, has he?"

"Oh, no. His torture is more lingering than that, my dear."

"What has he done?"

"Dillingham told me of it himself, and I must say that the scheme does Spudds credit in his ingenious cruelty."

"But tell me what it is."

"Well, after the wedding Spudds went and allied himself with a fashionable drapery house in the city, and ever since then he has occupied his time in preparing the most perfectly irresistible descriptions of bargains of all sorts and sending special invitations to Mrs. Dillingham to attend the sales. The poor fellow tells me that he has two mortgages on his house now and expects to go into irretrievable bankruptcy immediately after the next bargains at Spudds' emporium."—London Tit-Bits.

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From the Chronicle, Chicago, Ill.

Notwithstanding the poor are always with us, Thanksgiving is none the less a day of rejoicing. Many charities have been dispensed and through numerous instrumentalities the necessities and sufferings of many a worthy person have been relieved. Absent members of households reunite at the old homestead and gathered around the festal board recount the incidents that have taken place and the various blessings that have been vouchsafed them, since they assembled at the last annual meeting by the same fireside. It is a time for memory and for joy. Among the countless families of Chicago there is perhaps, not one to-day that feels a deeper sense of gratitude to the Giver of all good and perfect gifts than Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Collier, of 4904 Armour Avenue.

Mr. Collier, who is the electrician at the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad shops in this city came here from Hamilton, Canada, a little more than nine years ago accompanied by his wife and little daughter, their only child Etta, then aged four. Little Etta was a bright and beautiful girl, but not a very robust one.

For the last few years she had been somewhat ailing, but her condition was not such as to create any uneasiness in the minds of her parents, who almost idolized her. In the school she was regarded as one of the brightest scholars of her class and was the envy of her class-mates. Although but a little over twelve years of age, her intellect was phenomenal. She was possessed, however, of a very nervous temperament which is frequently the case with children of her advanced intelligence. Early in the month of June last, owing to a sudden fright, she was thrown into violent spasms, to recover only to be afflicted with St. Vitus' dance in the worst form. The consternation of her parents may well be imagined.

Of course the best physicians were summoned at once but their efforts to restore her to her normal condition were devoid of results. She continued to grow worse, her appetite wholly failed and commencing with her right arm her whole right side and lower limb became limp, numb, and useless and what little nourishment she was able to take had to be administered by others. To add to the seriousness of the case she was unable to obtain any sleep whatever.

It was while in this deplorable condition hovering between life and death with all the prospects of a premature grave before her, that one day on returning home from his duties Mr. Collier found awaiting him a newspaper, which an old acquaintance in Hamilton, his former place of residence, had sent to him by mail.

In the local columns he read of the case of a certain person he had known years before having been permanently cured of the complaint of which his own daughter was now suffering, by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. He had often heard and read before marvellous accounts of the efficacy of this remedy but as no names with which he was personally familiar appeared, he not only doubted but positively disbelieved the statements. But here before his eyes was apparent evidence from one he knew. He therefore lost no time in making assurance doubly sure and as soon as he learned that the story was absolutely true, he lost no time in procuring the Pink Pills for his suffering daughter. This was on the 15th of September. Prior to this date and after consulting doctors of different schools of medicine, he had taken her to the Homeopathic Dispensary where her case was discussed by all the members of the faculty who unanimously declared in the presence of the class that there was no longer any hope to be held out as it was a malady which in this instance at least was incurable. It was therefore with a feeling of utter despair that Mrs. Collier first began to administer the Pink Pills.

She says a perceptible change came over the little one before even the second box had been emptied and now after having used six boxes her health is entirely restored. In the early part of her illness her intellect was very much clouded. She had become extremely dull of comprehension hardly realizing the meaning of words when addressed. Seen to-day in the cheerful home of the Collier's on Armour Avenue, she is the personification of health. Her nervousness has entirely disappeared, her intellect is bright, keen and active, her strength has returned and the roses in her cheeks attest to the complete recovery of her bodily health.

She is now ready to resume her music lessons and as soon as the schools open after the holidays she will again take up the studies which she so suddenly left off on that eventful June day. The sister-in-law of Mrs. Collier, Mrs. Lewis, who was present at the interview emphatically confirmed all that Mrs Collier has said regarding the past and present condition of little Etta, adding that a famous physician in Hamilton invariably recommends Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in such cases as this and many others.

Mrs. Collier herself has for a number of years been a constant sufferer from a female complaint which so far has baffled the skill of the doctors, and during a period of less than six months her husband has expended over two hundred dollars in fees for medicines. She has now begun the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and while it is as yet too early to announce a cure in her case she feels so much improved as to express the belief that her physical troubles will shortly be of the past. These are some of the reasons why the Collier family return thanks on this our national day of praise and festivity.

The above is a correct statement of facts concerning my little daughter and myself.
MRS. A. COLLIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of December, 1895.
DAN GREENE,
Notary Public.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all druggists. Thousands of boxes have been disposed of. This was one of the few remedies which was not ent in price during the recent druggists war. This fact shows that the price is within the reach of all. Their cures are positive and permanent. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, nervous prostration and "that tired feeling," which is a result of the latter. It also is a permanent cure for all diseases resulting from vitiated humors of the blood, such as scrofula, erysipelas and like diseases; diseases peculiar to women, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. The pills build up the general health, thicken the blood and send it coursing through the veins with renewed life. And one very peculiar thing about this remedy is that there are no unpleasant after effects. Thousands of former sufferers are now rejoicing to know that they are cured. Children may take them with perfect safety.

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A HEART IS BREAKING.

Tears come no more, their fount is dry.
Life cords are strained and aching;
The handmaids faith and hope and cheer
Are gone—a heart is breaking.

The world goes by on the other side,
A new made pathway taking,
Fair weather friends have turned away,
A deserted heart is breaking.

Misfortune holds the helm of fate,
Life's voyage no progress making,
Fair winds fall off, the vessel lags,
Suspense, a heart is breaking.

Alone, with slow and measured tread,
Old walks and ways forsaking,
"Oh, would to God that I were dead"
Tells that a heart is breaking.
—Good Housekeeping.

Charles Robert Leslie, R. A.

My father, Charles Robert Leslie, was certainly one of the most unselfish, gentle and single minded of men, a thorough optimist by nature, from whom all trouble outside of art passed like water off a duck's back, his mind and eye dwelling only on the beauty and happiness of the world about him, with a wonderful power of living in the present and making the best of it. It was thus, I believe, that with a few delicate, rapid touches of his brush he so easily seized upon whatever was refined or lovely in the face of a model, while, like his favorite character, Captain Shandy, he always judged others by the standard of his own gentle nature. Though rather lavish both of time and money upon anything connected with art or his family, he spent little on mere personal matters.

As a boy I slept for many years in his dressing room, and one of my earliest recollections was watching him shave, for which, even in winter, he never indulged in a drop of hot water, and, whether due to this or a dull razor, the operation so often ended in a cut chin that I always felt a sense of relief when it was over. Those were the days of old felt beaver hats, and a decorative tuft of fur, plucked from the first which came to hand, often remained on his face for the day. Later in life he let his beard grow, and, except as a means of obtaining a smoother surface upon some rough, unfinished picture, entirely gave up the use of that old razor. But the idea of thus saving time and trouble never struck him while I was at home, and he continued to gash his chin nearly every other day during the busiest period of his life, just as he once told me he went on drinking his tea too hot until he consulted the great Abernethy and paid him a guinea for his advice to "drink it cooler, sir."—Temple Bar.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

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George F Church and wife to Lazar Iljeladinovich, lots 13, 14 and 15, blk 115, Fresno; $10.

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Sheriff's Sale No. 681.

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Lots fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) in block three hundred and forty-two (342), in the town, now city, of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, according to the map of said town, now city, of record and on file in the recorder's office of said Fresno county.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Saturday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, in front of the courthouse door of the county of Fresno, sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, S. H. Redden, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

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Loans and Discounts	$293,918 07
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	66,000 00
Real Estate	54,859 53
County Warrants	7 40
Cash on Hand	27 034 88
Due from Banks	18,677 31
Other Assets	825 00
Total Resources	$463,871 61

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock Paid up	$200,000 00
Reserve Fund	10,000 00
Undivided Profits	9,288 21
Due Depositors	229,799 49
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